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## BANK STATEMENTS.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT of the Financial Condition of the CONTINENTAL BANK at St. Louis, State of Missouri, at the close of business on the fifteenth day of December, 1882.

RESOURCES

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| Loans undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security | $ 887,890 00 |
| Loans and discounts undoubtedly good on real estate security | 7,500 00 |
| Overdrafts by solvent customers | 16,632 72 |
| Other bonds and stock at their present cash market price | 4,641 15 |
| Due from other banks, good on sight draft | 130,978 53 |
| Real estate at present cash market value | 15,500 00 |
| Checks and other cash items | 210,878 43 |
| Bills of National Banks and legal tender U. S. notes | 80,909 00 |
| Gold coin | 11,701 00 |
| Silver and other fractional coin and currency | 1,854 33 |
| Exchange maturing and matured | 153,675 98 |
| Total | $1,386,181 23 |

LIABILITIES.

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| Capital stock paid in | $100,000 00 |
| Surplus funds on hand | 72,120 12 |
| Deposits subject to draft—at sight | 1,143,417 22 |
| Deposits subject to drafts at given dates | 20,643 79 |
| Due other banks and bankers | 50,000 00 |
| Total | $ 1,386,181 23 |

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis.

We, George A. Baker, president, and Wm. P. Keating, cashier of said bank, and each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

GEO. A. BAKER, President.
WM. P. KEATING, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 22nd day of December, A. D. eighteen hundred and eighty-two. Witness my hand and notarial seal hereto affixed, at office in the city of St. Louis, the date last aforesaid. (Commissioned and qualified for a term expiring June 29, 1885.)

JOSEPH LATHROP, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

H. A. CRAWFORD, } Directors.
T. M. THOMPSON, }
I. G. BAKER, }

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chester, Iron Mountain and Western Railroad will be held at the office of Messrs. Pattison & Crane, No. 305 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo., on Monday, the 8th day of January, 1883, at 9 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of electing directors and transacting such other business as may be brought before it. J. WYMAN JONES,

NEWTON CRANE, Secretary. President.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Diamond Queen Silver Mining and Milling Company at its office, 121 N. Third street, St. Louis, on Thursday, December 28, 1882, at 12 o'clock m., for the purpose of transacting such business as may be brought before them.

JONATHAN NESBITT,
December 18, 1882. President.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Missouri Midland Railroad Company will be held at the office of the company, No. 411 Olive street, St. Louis, Missouri, on Thursday, January 25, A. D. 1883, to consider a proposal to increase the capital stock of the company from one hundred and fifty shares of the par value of fifteen thousand dollars to five hundred shares of the par value of fifty thousand dollars, and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting. Polls open at 2 o'clock p. m. and close at 12 m.

ARTHUR LEE,
FRANK P. BLAIR,
JOHN F. LEE, JR.,

A majority of the Board of Directors of said Company

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Wabash Mining and Milling Company will be held at the office of the company, No. 303½ Olive street, St. Louis, Mo., at 11 o'clock a. m., on the 9th day of January, 1883, for the purpose of creating a bonded indebtedness of the company and for such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

S. H. MILLER,
B. W. ALEXANDER, Secretary.
Vice-President.

THIRD NATIONAL BANK OF ST. LOUIS, December 6, 1882.—Election Notice.—The regular annual election for nine (9) directors of this bank will be held on Tuesday, January 9, 1883, at the banking rooms. Polls open from 12 m. until 2 o'clock p. m.

T. A. STODDARD, Cashier.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—Take notice that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Montezuma Springs Company will be held on Friday, the 29th day of December, 1882, at 9 o'clock a. m., in the gentlemen's parlor of the Southern Hotel, in the city of St. Louis, to receive the secretary's report as to the condition of the company and to consider and act upon the question of its continuance.

GEO. W. ALLEN, President.

JOHN MONTEITH, Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—A meeting of the stockholders of the Caruth & Byrne Hardware Company will be held at the office of the company, 323 N. Main st., St. Louis, Mo., on Monday, the 1st day of January, 1883, at 9 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a board of four directors of said company to serve for the ensuing year.

DAVID W. CARUTH,
T. M. McLEAN, President.
Secretary.


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## MALE MODELS.

### An Artist Wants a Man to Model George Washington From.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, December 25.—More than a score of men, nearly all of them very tall, entered a red brick building on West Fifty-second street the other morning. The building was three stories in height. The ground floor had a small door and only one window. The house was the studio of Mr. John Q. A. Ward, the sculptor. Mr. Ward was busily engaged in receiving the tall men, who came in answer to the following advertisement:

WANTED—A male model about 6 feet high, in good muscular condition, of excellent form and good proportions, to pose nude and with drapery. Apply at 119 W. 52d st., from 12 to 2 o'clock p. m.

Some of the applicants were under-sized and scrawny, and these were immediately dismissed. If a man seemed to be at all promising he was requested to step into a warm side room and disrobe. Many manly-looking forms revealed sad defects. Nearly every one was poorly developed in some respect. The majority were too slight in the loins. Some had thin legs or small shoulders or were too gawky. Some were poorly developed all over. Mr. Ward said he found that the best developed men were Germans and Orangemen. He selected three whom he will probably use. He said: "By advertising I hoped to find some good models outside of the professionals, and, as it were, introduce a little new blood into the business. Contrary to general belief the best developed forms are found among well-to-do people.

LABORING MEN

are commonly ill-developed in some particular, whereas the man of leisure, who hunts, fishes, rows and lives well will, frequently have an almost perfect figure. Good living and comfort are essential to the development of manly grace. I could easily select good models from among my friends, but of course they would not be willing to serve. I want these models for the statue of Washington to be placed on the steps of the Treasury building in Wall street, and for the statue of the Mayflower Pilgrim for the New England Society, both of which I have under way. Washington was six feet two inches in height, and a tall man is necessary to model from. Some of the applicants to-day were men out of work or men who thought that being a model would pay better than their present employments. One was an elocutionist, two had been stock-brokers, and there was one who said he offered himself simply for the love of art. He was a magnificent fellow over six feet five inches in height and well proportioned, but somewhat too fat. He gave his address and said he lived in his own house. I suspect that he really desired to show his figure. I am in hopes of finding just the man I want. If you know of one send him to me."

## A FARCE.

### The Sunday Law Falling into Disrepute in New York.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, December 25.—The enforcement of the criminal code which prohibits Sunday trading has degenerated into a farce in this city. The Adams Express Company was busily occupied all day. The injunction preventing the police from interfering with its business, gave full opportunity for the delivery of goods. At the general office there was a rush of business throughout the day and far into the night. The company's 150 wagons were coming and going at the Church street entrance, a line of thirty being drawn up there at times.

"We are delivering goods of all kinds," said an employe there yesterday.

"Freight, baggage, boxes and everything that needs delivery. Heavy business?"

"I should say so. A hundredfold greater than usual. Well, it seems four times even that amount."

The police on the east side of the city, between Canal and Fourteenth streets, were very lenient in the enforcement of the laws. Apparently no effort was made to interfere with anybody who desired to sell goods or keep his place open. It was a noticeable fact that in the Bowery and many of the principal thoroughfares on the east side of the city the barbers and cigar dealers almost defied the law, and made no pretense of conducting their business secretly. The absence of Italian and Chinese vendors was the only noticeable feature in the observance of the day on the east side of the city.

## A GOOD JOKE.

### A Former Secretary of State Tells How He Was Played Upon.

### Curious History of the "Man From Arkansas"—The Tricks of Chronic Office-Seekers.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, December 25.—A Washington correspondent of the Tribune tells the following tale: "While the civil service reform debate was going on in the Senate, a day or two, ago a number of gentlemen sat together on one of the Senate sofas, discussing the practical side of the subject, and especially the importunities of office seekers. Congressman Hitt, of Illinois, formerly Assistant Secretary of State, was one of the group and he told the following story. Among the crowds which thronged the ante-rooms of the State department seeking for consulships at the beginning of Gen. Garfield's administration there came a man of modest patient demeanor who hailed from Arkansas. He aspired to be a consul at some unimportant point and had secured the endorsement of a number of Congressmen, who vouched for the excellence of his record as a soldier. The case was one which appealed to the sympathies of the Assistant Secretary, before whom the matter was brought for decision. He was, however, unable to take action for several weeks. The man was a daily visitor at the Department, and it seemed to the kind-hearted official was growing seedier and leaner as the weeks passed by. Toward the end of May as the man entered the office one day Mr. Hitt said:

"You have been here a long time, have you not?" The man hung his head and meekly admitted that he had. "Now tell me truly," said the assistant secretary, "haven't you been here since the Fourth of March, seeking this office?"

The applicant blushed and after a moment's hesitation admitted that he had been in Washington since the inauguration of the new administration.

"Have you a wife?"

"Yes."

"And you have her here, too, have you not?"

The answer was a whisper in the affirmative.

"Have you children?"

"Yes, sir."

"How many?"

"Four."

"And you have had them here all this time, wife and children, have you not?" Tears choked the voice of the poor man as he verified the official's suspicion.

"Well, now," said Mr. Hitt, his sympathy for the misguided fellow overcoming his customary official reserve, "I will make you a promise which I have made to no other applicant, but on one condition. If you take your wife and children, and start for home to-morrow, I will make your case a special one, and I will see the President personally about it during the week." The applicant heaved a sigh, reflected a moment and with a choking voice asked if he might not return the next day?

"No," said the Assistant Secretary, "You have been here too long already; I will do as I have promised, but only on the condition that you go to your home to-morrow." The applicant again reflected, and pleadingly asked to be allowed to come once more.

"No, sir;" said the official, "You have your fate in your hands. Go home, or I will do nothing in your case." The man turned slowly on his heel, heaved a sigh, and with his hand on the door knob, said he would think of it. Just at the moment the door was pulled open from without, and a local reporter entered. The reporter and the office-seeker saluted each other familiarly with "Hello Bob," and "How are you, Tom," as the one passed in and the other passed out.

"What," queried the assistant secretary, addressing the reporter, "do you know that man from Arkansas?"

"Man from Arkansas," repeated the reporter with an inflection indicating surprise and amusement; "he's no man from Arkansas; he's a clerk in the Pension office. His wife keeps a boarding-house on F street; I've known 'em for eleven years; used to board with 'em."

## THE BIG STORM.

### The Canadian Weather Prophet Sure it Will Come.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, December 25.—Mr. Charles H. Haswell, of this city, being interested in a marine work now in progress, wrote under date of December 4 to Professor E. Stone Wiggins, of Ottawa, Canada, requesting some further information regarding the great storm which that gentleman in his recent letter to President Arthur predicted would take place in March. Mr. Haswell represented that if the storm found his work uncompleted it would probably destroy it and asked for data on which to base a judgment as to whether he had not better discontinue operations at once. Prof. Wiggins made a prompt reply in which he said that any work within this harbor exposed to the open ocean and a southwest gale would probably be erected in vain. He proceeded as follows:

"Considering the severity with which I have been treated by the press, it is not my intention to make public the data on which I forecast the great storm until that event be past; moreover there are phenomena associated with the positions of the planets which are only known by observation, so that no one but myself could act as a competent judge. I advise you to remove your laborers and building material from all works under your charge before the 6th of March, for you will see

THE GREATEST HURRICANE

that has visited America since the year 1780. On the land, however, there will be comparatively little damage." Mr. Haswell now wrote a still more pressing letter explaining that he was largely concerned in shipping, and that besides the responsibility of continuing the work he had before alluded to or suspending it rested on his shoulders, and he was in a very embarrassing position, fearing to go on, and yet having no adequate grounds on which to stop. Mr. Wiggins replies that the whole winter will be remarkable for heavy and well-defined storms. He says: "If I were an owner of ships I would not allow one on the Atlantic on the 9th of February nor the 9th, 10th and 11th of March, though the former storm will be inferior to the latter. After the middle of April you may begin your marine work with safety, for then will begin a long period free from great storms. Take my advice and you will save your thousands."

## A Corporation Wrangle.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, December 25.—Jennings' cable letter to the World says: "There was this week a crowded and boisterous meeting of the proprietors of the Atlantic and Great Western, I should say, I suppose, the New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio Railroad, the opposition being to the trustees being led by Lord Bury. A poll to be held next week was demanded. Mr. James Alport criticised severely the present management, while Mr. Lewis told the meeting that Mr. McHenry's object was merely to make valuable the $20,000,000 he had in the concern, a statement which Mr. McHenry very naturally did not deny.

This affair will probably end in the removal of the trustees if any dependance is to be placed upon present indications.

## IS OSCAR A GAMBLER?

### A Story That Bunko Men Victimized Mr. Wilde.

### Which He Explains Emphatically—How He Looks in Short Hair.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, December 25.—Mr. Oscar Wilde is still in the city. There is apparently no immediate prospect of his departure for England. Since he cut his hair Mr. Wilde does not present that complacent appearance so familiar to the public in his early portraits. He seems ill and preoccupied, and during the intervals when his face is in repose he has a worried look. At least this was the impression he conveyed to a reporter when he saw the poet dining at Delmonico's with a few friends. The object of the reporter's call was to ascertain the truth of a story that Mr. Wilde had been made the victim of some "bunko steerers" who had swindled him out of $900 at cards in a gambling house on Twenty-eighth street near Sixth avenue. According to the ordinary accepted version of the supposed facts two fashionably dressed men made Mr. Wilde's acquaintance some two months ago at the Park Avenue Hotel. It is said that they ingratiated themselves into his confidence upon their supposed knowledge of his family, with whom they claimed to be on the most friendly footing They did not make any effort to entrap him for some weeks, until their intimacy had assumed a more permanent character. Having well established themselves in this respect, it is said that several small

GAMES OF CARDS

were proposed, chiefly ecarte, for trivial stakes, with alternate results to Mr. Wilde, he sometimes losing and occasionally winning, but rarely beyoud a few dollars in either case. Three days ago the grand strike for something higher was to be attempted, and the story runs that an appointment was made by one of the supposed friends to meet Oscar Wilde and the "steerer's" confederate at the latter's rooms in Twenty-eighth street. The meeting took place and the result was that, after several runs of "luck" Mr. Wilde's good fortune deserted him, and he found himself short by $900. Another version, differing in some respects from the foregoing, is to the effect that a well known bunko runner known in gambling circles as "Hungry Joe" (who is now under bonds for good behaviour) in company with an acquaintance saw Oscar Wilde walking along Broadway and proposed to him that they should fleece Wilde. The acquaintance replied that he didn't think it could be done and that no man in America could play that game on him. "At any rate, let's try," was the answer, and the attempt was made, as already stated, to the tune of $950. It is further reported that Mr. Oscar Wilde laid

COMPLAINT BEFORE CAPTAIN WILLIAMS

with the view to the arrest of the swindlers. The police are, however, reticent upon the matter, as Mr. Wilde is the man who is most likely to know whether either rumor is true true or false a reporter interviewed him upon the subject.

"This is the latest and most extraordinary fabrication that I have yet heard and I have been made the victim of several."

"Then this is not true?"

"True! there is not a shade of truth in it. It is totally untrue in every respect. I am not given to high play and certainly not with people I don't know. You can deny it in every particular; it is most absurd. A more ridiculous thing I never heard of; please oblige me by denying it altogether." From those who are in a position to know the reporter learned that Mr. Wilde is economically inclined; that he is by no means lavish in his expenditures, and lives in a retired and unostentatious style.

## Irish News.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, December 25.—The special cable to the Sun says: "Mr. Davitt has been speaking in England, and has taken occasion to inveigh bitterly against crime in Ireland. 'Agrarian crime,' he says, 'killed the Land League, and it must be done away with, no matter who is responsible for it.' He addressed on immense meeting in London last night and was received with extraordinay enthusiasm. Referring to his speech at Navan, he said his reason for making it was to call the attention of the Government to the fact that great distress existed in the West, and to induce them to take steps to alleviate the suffering caused by the partial failure of the potatoe crop. Speaking on the pacification of Ireland he said: "An orderly state of things could never be established while an alien Government which an alien rule were maintained in that country." He asserted that public works, such as drainage and the improvement of waste lands, if carried out, might do away with the necessity for emigration. He suggested that a committee of independent English and Irish gentlemen should be appointed to inquire into Irish grievances.

A resolution was unanimously adopted declaring that the only satisfactory solution of the Irish difficulty was the Government of Ireland by Irishmen.

PROCEEDINGS AGAINST DAVITT.

The recent proceedings against Messrs. Davitt and Healy will probably not be pushed unless either should have another violent outbreak which does not seem probable. Mr. Biggar will be prosecuted for his speech at Waterford which was simply a tirade of senseless abuse, serving no good purpose. He probably feels that he must do something to bring himself into notice, but he has led the friends of home rule to think that he will be more effective as a silent argument in Kilmainham than as an orator out of doors.

MR. PARNELL'S SPEECH

At Cork has been received with marked respect. The following passage among others being freely quoted: "If there should be a diminution of crime in Ireland during this year, which I fervently hope there may be, and in the next session the Government refuses legislation to the Irish people, then I say it will be a declaration to the Irish people that what has been often said is true, that you have to bring Ireland to a state bordering on revolution in order to obtain justice for her."

# LATEST EDITION.

## WATCH DOGS OF MOSES.

### Rev. Robert Collyer's Name for the Sunday Law People.

### The Preacher Attacks the Code and Glories in Its Downfall--An Eloquent Talk.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, December 25.—The Rev. Dr. Robert Collyer spoke in the Church of the Messiah last night to a large audience upon the subject: "In Defense of Sabbath Breaking." "It is quite natural," Dr. Collyer said, "that we should feel deeply interested in the endeavor now being made to call up the ghost of the old Puritan Sabbath in our city and to insist on our paying it a proper degree of reverence on pain of fines and imprisonment. A small body of men with very deep convictions have made up their minds that we shall conform to their ideas, and that if we do not accept their dictation with their blessing we shall have their curse. They have found certain laws on their side, and they have taken these old laws with a cheerful good will as a substitute for the gospel. That old hymn "Hark from the tombs a doleful sound," suddenly assumed a terrible significance on a Sunday morning not long ago. Poor old apple women on the curbstones heard it and trembled, Newsboys heard it and shook inwardly, I was going to say they shook in their shoes, but not many of them have shoes worth mentioning to shake in. Those newsboys are the

BRAVEST LITTLE MEN

on this Island of ours and they could give most of us many points in courage and endurance. They were trying to make a few coppers with which to feed themselves, but the Watch Dogs of Moses wouldn't have it. The little waifs saw the ghost, heard the doleful sound and had the alternative of being laid by the heels or of being struck on their papers,' as they say. The poor little cripple with the pathetic brown eyes, who haunts Union Square with his box on his arm guessed that something was wrong when the big policeman would not have even a free shine but warned him in broken Irish that the Sabbatarian was ahead and ordered him back to his den down town. An old fellow once said: 'We keep all the feasts and fasts in our parish with great regularity, but it has come to be so arranged that the rich keep all the feasts and the poor all the fasts.' That is just what has been done against the poor by this ghost of the Puritan Sabbath. Why, there are arguments against that ghost for a week and laughter and jests against it for a man forever. But our city met the crisis not unworthily.

courts spoke good gospel and the magistrates understood the need of a rational leniency. Blessed are the merciful. Thanks to them for scorning the letter of such laws. They followed the lead of the master who

OPENLY BROKE THE SABBATH,

as it was understood by the bigots of the time. He declared that the Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath. There came a time in France when there was one law for the rich and one law for the poor. The down-trodden people stood it as long as they could, and then there was a carnival of blood such as the world had never seen before. This ghost clutches the poorest of our people who have to sell on Sunday to make a few shillings with the cruelest bands. The groggeries should be shut, but the poor workingmen who go to them on Sunday know that those who look with complacency on the workings of this present law, can get enough liquor on Sunday to swim in from their own cellars, in hotels and grand restaurants. They do it too. It is only a question, I tell you, of a 25 or a five-cent drink. Small boys and poor old women, selling papers had to give up their business.

I KNOW SOME EDITORS

and like them, and I know some stockholders and like some of them; but I think if the law has a right to stop boys selling papers it has more right to stop the printing of them on Sunday. Why didn't the friends of that law hit some one of their size, and what would happen? It is a timid ghost, and like other ghosts, is found chasing women and children somewhere between Saturday night and Sunday morning there is a vast amount of work done in Printing-house Square that it is not work of charity nor of necessity. The editors have done well in laughing and hissing down that law and in showing us that we are not living in the Boston of 100 years ago. We are justified in scorning that law on grounds laid down by our Divine Teacher."

PARTIES desiring an elegantly served supper for balls, parties, marriages and all festive occasions at a reasonable charge should not fail to consult L. Mohr, 1424 Chouteau avenue, caterer. All desiring delicious Christmas and New Year cakes and fine confections can find a large assortment of the most choice kinds at confectionery 1424 Chouteau avenue.

## STUBBORN SINGERS.

### Col. Mapleson's Trouble with Ravelli and Mlle. Juch.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, December 25.—Two of the singers in Her Majesty's Opera Company, Mlle. Juch and Signor Ravelli, took it into their heads on Saturday that they could not sing in the opera of "Carmen," which was to be presented in the afternoon. They therefore sent word to Col. Mapleson at 10 o'clock that they were "sick." Mlle. Juch would recover and sing for a bonus of $100; Signor Ravelli made no offer of any kind. Col. Mapleson was of course unable to procure substitutes at such short notice, so the opera was not presented and the season was brought to a close. Both of these refractory singers were advertised to appear in the concert given at the Academy of Music last night. Ravelli failed to appear, but Mlle. Juch sang as announced. She came on the stage at the close of the concert and was greeted with a few hisses and faint applause. To the very minute of her coming on the stage it was not quite certain that she would sing. Some of those connected with the management said that she would. Others said she would not. But she did, and faint applause brought her a second time. It is said Ravelli and Mlle. Juch have become possessed of the idea that the company could not get along without them. Colonel Mapleson may let Ravelli go. Frapolli is now on his way here, who could sing every part that Ravelli could, and do a great deal better. Ravelli, it is said, has always been a turbulent member of the company, having an inordinate amount of self-esteem, anxious that every one should think as much of him as he did himself, and was abusive if they did not.

### Robbers Caught.

OSAGE CITY, KAS., December 25.—Sheriff Smith, of this county, has just returned from Burlington with the two men who robbed the Lyndon Post-office last Monday morning. There is no doubt about the identity of the parties, as they had sold a large amount of postage stamps to a merchant in that city, and had been very free with money. They are recognized at Lyndon by the citizens who saw them there on the day before the robbery. One is a small Irishman and the other an American. They are now in the Lyndon Jail awaiting the orders of the United States authorities, and are very reticent, finally admitting, however, that they were in Lyndon last Sunday. They only admitted this after being so fully recognized by the people of Lyndon.

Kidney Disease.
Pain, irritation, retention, incontinence, deposits, gravel, cured by "Buchupaiba." $1.

## FOREIGN.

### England.

LONDON, December 25.—It is said that owing to the absence of the official reporter at the meeting in Waterford, addressed by Biggar, member of Parliament for Cavan, the Government possesses no legal proof concerning his statements, and will have difficulty in conducting the prosecution against him.

### Ireland.

DUBLIN, December 25.—An article in the United Ireland, headed "Accusing Spirits," refers to the execution of Hynes, Walsh, Myles, Joyce and the Loughmask murderers, and is an attempt to show they were hanged upon the principle that somebody must be hanged; the right person, if possible, but at all events somebody.

### Gossip by Cable.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, December 25.—Smalley's cable to the Tribune says: Judicial procrastination is making the Belt case a scandal of the first magnitude. The Standard and the Daily News both protest in singularly plain terms against Mr. Justice Huddleston's conduct of the trial, likening the proceedings to a Westminster Hall Christmas pantomime. The News intimated that Mr. Justice Huddleston's loquacity is due to the presence of an aristocratic audience. His so-called summing up lasted two days and will occupy two more after Christmas.

Mr. Webster, counsel for the defendant, publicly accused Mr. Justice Huddleston in his own court of partiality to the plaintiff. Judge Huddleston defended himself from the bench.

AMERICAN LITERATURE.

A "History of American Literature" is published this week by John Nichol, professor of English literature in the University of Glasgow, the same who wrote the crude sketches in the Encyclopædia Britannica. This present large volume is friendly enough, well-meaning and comprehensive, though devoted in great part to the last and present generation. But his method is unscientific and uncritical. His judgment is frequently disfigured by prejudice. He is often superficial and sometimes flippant.

THE COPYRIGHT CONTROVERSY

in the Althenæum comes to an end with several letters from Mr. Murray, praising the Harpers' liberality in paying £1,000 for the early sheets of Livingstone's journal, while Mr. Hardy applauds them for paying him more than had been agreed for a novel.

Mr. Marston, though appealed to for a full statement of the Russell affairs, contents himself with reiterating the complaints of my telegram and offers no explanation whatever of the awkward facts already disclosed respecting his dealings with Mr. Russell.

THE BECKFORD SALE

was concluded to-day. The prices throughout have been exceedingly high, in some cases reaching a fabulous point, the Groilers and one Maioli bringing more than double their value. These excepted, the most of the best foreign books were bought by France. Henry Stevens has completed the arranging and binding of the Franklin collection, bought by the American Government and now deposited in the British museum. The Legation is occupied in checking the invoice of the collection, which is shortly to be shipped. Mr. Stevens affirms that there is enough unpublished material in manuscript to make six volumes which he says will be more valuable than any six of Sparks' edition.

THE LANGTRY SCANDAL.

The Langtry-Labouchere quarrel attracts much attraction, the society papers copying the details from the New York journals, even the Times publishing telegrams to the effect that Mrs. Langtry's social position in America has been affected. People here censure the publicity given, holding that Mrs. Langtry's private life has nothing to do with her theatrical career.

G. SPENCER, Bethany, Mo., says: "Brown's Iron Bitters has cured me of weakness and general debility."

### The Ideals' Christmas Festivities.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CINCINNATI, O., December 25.—Yesterday morning the Boston Ideals left St. Louis for Cincinnati, and at Terre Haute they sat down to a Christmas dinner specially prepared for them in the railroad restaurant. After dinner the whole company entered the special parlor car which had been attached to the train, and where the Ideal Christmas tree had been raised and laden with presents. Mr. W. H. Barnabee took the part of Santa Claus and distributed the gifts, which were some 683 in number. The management gave each member of the chorus and orchestra an envelope containing a Christmas card and a $5 bill. The interchange of gifts among the principals and between them, and the chorus and orchestra, was very lively. Miss Obee received 26; Mr. C. W. Wheeler, business-manager, 26; Musical Director S. L. Studley, 16; Mr. M. W. Whitney, 19; Mr. H. H. Barnabee, 30; Tom Karl, 28; George Frothingham, 16; W. H. Macdonald, 18; Herndon Morsell, 16; assistant Manager Fred. Pond, 17; Miss Marie Stone, 18; Miss Mary Beebe, 16; Miss Geraldine Ulmar, 16; Miss Mathilde Phillips, 14. The company were accompanied as far as Indianapolis by Mr. William Porteras, late of Boston, and were under the charge of B. W. Caldwell, of the Vandalia line.

Christmas Cards at Jaccard's.
FIFTH AND OLIVE STREETS.
The assortment contains designs of note from almost every publisher in this country and Europe. Every purse and every taste can be accommodated.

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CONRAD'S COUNCIL CELLARS.
411 N. SIXTH ST.

### A New Delivery Scheme.

A letter and small package delivery company has opened up business here on a plan recently adopted in Chicago and Cincinnati. The system includes collection and delivery of unsealed letters, circulars, etc., at the rate of a dollar per hundred Stamps bearing the company's title are sold for one cent each which are affixed to the envelopes intended for collection and delivery by a force of carriers employed by the company. The service aims at facilitating the cheap and rapid local circulation of letters, circulars, etc., for business houses, and packages not exceeding four pounds in weight are included in the delivery system. Care is taken to deliver the letters unsealed so as to evade the statutory penalty for delivery of mail matter. The District Attorney, however, is not satisfied that the business can be carried on, and the laws relating to the postal service are being closely scrutinized. It may or it may not be a case for the interference of the Government authorities.

## MERRY CHRISTMAS.

### How the Day is Being Celebrated in the City.

### Good Will Everywhere--At the Churches, Hotels, Theaters--The News Boys' Post-Dispatch Dinner.

The average St. Louisan, above the denizen of any other large city of this country, is a subscriber to Bob Ingersoll's theory that the domestic hearth is the most exalted altar. The St. Louisan runs to domestic enjoyment. The St. Louis home is, as a rule, equipped with club comforts, and there is that social interchange of hospitality at all times, and markedly so on festive occasions, peculiar to the southern country. It reaches its perfection here. Family gatherings are the prevailing form of celebration. St. Louis has a reputation throughout the land as "the city of homes." She has more pretty and comfortably-equipped residences than any of her pretentious arrivals. That, therefore, the streets of St. Louis on holidays such as Christmas, Thanksgiving Day and New Year present an appearance more suggestive of Sunday than of a fete day, is due to the fact that the average St. Louisan has blazing hearth fires, a luxurious home, happy children, smoking jackets, slippers and "company to dinner," and is not forced to seek the distraction of the crowd. The streets down town to-day, while presenting an animated appearance during the morning hours, were by the American dinner hour handed over to the safe keeping of young men who live in cheeriess boarding-houses and that broad class whose only idea of the celebration of a holiday from New Year's to Christmas is to reduce the record on the consumption of convivial decoctions. Christmas coming on Monday, as it does this time, has received, if not a more general observance than usual, a more extensive one. The convivial classes afore mentioned started in with the annual interchange of good cheer on Saturday afternoon, and by that night the boom was fairly on. The receipts of leading resorts were enormous. Yesterday the Protestant churches of the city, with the exception of the Episcopals, and a very few others, anticipated the anniversary with seasonable sermons and special musical features. The story of the Babe of Bethlehem was told by leading divines in forms more or less poetical and impressive, the organ swelled to the anthem, and Christmas carols were chanted. Then the convivial classes took hold of the celebration again, and last evening the foam-crested bowl of eggnog, given free to all comers, was the feature of the down-town resorts. With a forgetfulness of the sacred nature of the day, the turkey raffle obtained throughout the city, and the rattle of the dice drowned the imprecation of the young man who, in tempting the fickle goddess of chance, secured a small limbed malarialized-looking turkey worth 70c at an expenditure of $7. Christmas Eve hilarity was high and prolonged. Yesterday afternoon the police, seized with a virtuous spasm, went along the principal thoroughfares and closed up the itinerant venders of toys and holiday novelties. The sad-eyed venders of peanuts and bananas, and the eggnog artists were not interfered with. In the 10,000 homes where the music of children's laughter daily awakes the echoes of parlor and hall, parents were engaged last evening in carrying childhood's bright and most beautiful delusion, that of the good old Santa Claus. The good children were all in bed, unmindful of the squawk of the horrible tin horn blown by the belated idiot. At midnight the city slept. The bells from the churches ushered in the natal day, and the sun made its presence manifest through the thick, leaden clouds that seemed to drop an unseen but perceptible moisture. Little children got up earlier than they will for another year, and the soft note of the toy trumpet, or the muffled beat of the small drum, was heard through the peals of ecstatic merriment from Baden to the River des Peres.

IT WAS 9 O'CLOCK

before the streets began to take on an appearance of life. "I wish you a merry Christmas," was heard on every hand, and 20,000 old men and 20,000 old ladies, when the weather was discussed, remarked with the impressiveness that attends the offering of an original proposition, "A green Christmas makes a fat graveyard." There is always regret, when Christmas day is not "white," but then St. Louis is not Siberia, and it can't be helped. There was a sort of Sunday gathering at the Post-office, but "Merry Christmas" and "Take one with me" for the time suppianted the discussion of politics. The unhappy men met were at the hotels. They were drummers who could not reach home. A stroll through the Morgan street district revealed the fact that the colored people were enjoying the day with characteristic vigor. Eggnog for this day only flowed freely at five cents per glass in their favorite resorts, and the strains of "Star of Bethlehem" and "Hail Beautiful Morn" filled the air as rendered by improvised jubilee bands. The banjo and the fiddle kept time for the dancers, who executed phenomenal steps, and the refrain of "Rabbit Hash," accompanied by expert "patting," nerved the volunteer terpsichorean artist to athletic efforts unparalleled since the days of slavery.

There was a gratifying absence of fire-arms, and fire-works in the hands of small boys. Fire-water was more frequent. The celebration of the day, as viewed externally, was that peculiar to the South, and it clustered about turkey and trimmings, with the aroma of eggnog in the air, and a general expression of good feeling, good fellowship, and peace on earth and good will to all men.

Christmas being a legal holiday, the courts were closed, and the only minister of mination of the law on duty was the blue-clad guardian of the peace. Even he was imbued with the spirit of the day and looked with less asperity than usual upon the street boy as he played his pranks. The letter-carriers were on duty at the Post-office at noon and made one delivery, after which they went home to turkey. The barber-shops, hat stores, furnishing goods stores, etc., were open during the morning hours, but by 1 o'clock the only merchants engaged in business were the itinerant vendors of toys and song books.

### At the Churches.

Christmas services at St. George's church, Beaumont and Chestnut streets, were of an unusually beautiful and impressive character. They began at 11 o'clock. The chancel was decorated with evergreens and holly in an exceedingly artistic manner. The musical programme was as follows:

Venite.....Rossini.
Te Deum.....Root.
Jubilate.....Mendelssohn.
And there were Shepherds.....Millard.
Oh, Holy Night.....Adam.
Oh, Come all ye Faithful.....Novello.
Organ Offertory by Prof. C. Kunkel.
March of the Magi.....Klein

The sermon of Dr. Fulton was upon the text from St. Luke, chapter 1, the 10th, thirteenth and 14th verses; "And the angel said unto them: Fear not, for behold, I bring you tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people; and suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace and good will toward men." Dr. Fulton's address was exceedingly short. It was intended to show how the festivities commemorative of the birth of Christ, and the universal happiness which is connected with it, are really a vindication of Christianity itself from the Puritanical misrepresentation of it, which has made it appear that the coming of Christ was almost as great a calamity to some as it was a blessing to others.

THE CATHOLIC CHURCHES.

The Cathedral was beautifully decorated for the celebration of the day. Three masses were solemnized this morning; the first at 5:30 o'clock, the second at 8 o'clock and a grand high mass at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. Father Tobyn preached the sermon. The music was under the direction of Mrs. T. K. Carlin, organist.

ST. THERESA'S.

The decorations at this church were artistic and beautiful. The first high mass was sung at 5:30 o'clock and the second at half past ten. Father Brantner delivered the sermon on the feast of the day.

CHRISTIAN BROTHERS' COLLEGE.

Midnight mass was sung at 12 o'clock this morning in the chapel connected with the college. The music was under the charge of Bro. Colixtus. The mass was attended by over 300 students.

CHURCH OF THE VISITATION.

This church, on the corner of Taylor avenue and St. Charles rock-road, was elaborately decorated with evergreens and cut flowers, tastefully arranged by a number of the young ladies of the parish. Three masses were sung this morning. The choir, under the leadership of Miss Julia O'Neill, gave a number of appropriate musical selections.

THE ROCK CHURCH.

the most beautiful Catholic church in the city, was handsomely decorated. The second solemn high mass of the day was sung by Rev. M. Miller, rector of the church, with Rev. Fathers De Hain and McLaughlin as deacon and sub-deacon. Rev. Louis Cook preached the sermon on the Nativity. Vespers will be sung this evening.

ST. JOHN'S,

Sixteenth and Chestnut streets, was magnificently decorated with a profusion of evergreens and flowers. Two solemn high masses were sung this morning, at each of which the "Adeste Fideles" was sung by the church choir, which consists of the following ladies and gentlemen: Miss Ella Keating, Mrs. John Peck, Misses Ella and Lizzie Ryan, Katie and Annie Judge, Mrs. Bernero, Miss Lou Davis, Mrs. Dr. Gehring, Miss Seifert, Miss Fannie Connell, and Messrs. D. Sullivan, Russell, Herzog, Robyn brothers and J. P. Schenk. Prof. W. Navo is the organist.

ST. XAVIER'S.

The first solemn high mass was sung at 4 o'clock this morning. Gounod's "Adeste Fideles" was sung. The second high mass was celebrated at 10 o'clock. The following singers took part: Misses Mattie Lindsay, Carrie Bromschwig, Annie Keane, Sarah O'Malley, Louisa Brown, Katie O'Sullivan, Hannah Sereney, Della Block, Julia Murnane, Kittie Johnson, Ella Primm, Ella Walsh; Mesdames Rogers, Franklin, Liebke, Gilsinn, Garesche; Messrs. Ed. D. Concannon, M. A. Gallagher, E. C. Stein, Chas. H. Fitzgerald, John J. McNamara, P. J. Gorman, Anton A. Schnuck, A. H. Gilsinn, John Sexton and E. Dibillacco.

CENTEUARY (M. E. SOUTH).

The Christmas services were exceedingly beautiful. The singing by the choir was notably fine.

UNION M. E. CHURCH.

Christmas services took place at 10:30 o'clock. The sermon, by Dr. Felton, was on "Christian Progress."

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN.

The choir, under the direction of Mr. J. W. Graham, organist, rendered Alexander Guilmaut's Offertory upon Two Christmas Themes, the "Jubilate Deo," by F. Schilling: "There were Shepherds," by A. Alemeth, with Caitlin's Thanksgiving March as the closing voluntary.

THE NORTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

celebrated Christmas in a beautiful and appropriate manner.

### At the Hotels.

Christmas being essentially the holiday which is identified with domestic joys, is always a dull day at the hotels, and this morning the rule prevailed in a very unmistakable fashion. The arrivals from abroad were very light. At the larger hotels, where, usually, a couple of pages of the register are filled by 11 o'clock, only about half a dozen names were registered. The feature of the day at the hotels was the special effort which they all made to provide their guests with a repast worthy of the occasion. At Barnum's, where the Christmas dinner is always a grand culinary accomplishment, the bill of fare was of more than usual length and richness, and at the Southern, Lindell, Laclede, Planters and other houses, the dinner hour was honored in fine style. Not only were the physical appetites of the guests sated, but their æsthetic tastes were gratified with the elegant menu cards, which this Christmas surpassed those of all previous occasions in richness and elegance of design.

### At the Theaters.

There were special matinee performances at the four leading theaters, attracting very large audiences. Joe Jefferson furnished the holiday bill of fare at the Olympic, appearing in "Rip Van Winkle." At the Grand Opera house "The World" with its scenery well suited the public palate. Pretty little Minnie Palmer and the Rogers Comedy Company, in "My Sweetheart," entertained a fine Christmas audience at the People's, and Oliver Doud Byron, with his company, in "Ben McCullough," attracted an immense assemblage at Pope's. Santa Claus appeared at this house, distributing thousands of presents among the ladies and children. Some handsome holiday gifts were likewise distributed at the Grand Opera-house and the People's.

### At the City Institutions.

At the Insane Asylum, Poor-house, Female Hospital and City Hospital, Christmas brought with it the annual turkey feast which Health Commissioner Francis has provided every year since he has had these institutions in charge. The number of inmates now in these four institution is larger than it has been for a long time and several thousand pounds of turkey were purchased to give each his share. Plum pudding and holiday delicacies for 2,500 mouths are out of the question, and partakers of the Christmas turkey were well satisfied with their Christmas dinner, though lacking these dishes. It required over 3,000 pounds of turkey to "go around."

### At the Jail.

Jailer Siegmund did not prepare any handsome bill of fare, but the dinner served to the 171 persons in jail to-day was as follows:

Bread and Soup.
Roast Beef and Gravy.
Sauerkraut.
Rice Pudding.

At 1 o'clock to-day the dinner was served up, the waiters making the rounds of the cells and tiers, and handing in each prisoner's share through the wicket of his cell. At 3 o'clock an extra exercise hour was given the prisoners.

## NEWSBOYS' CHRISTMAS.

### The Gamins' Christmas Dinner Furnished by the Post-Dispatch.

The annual dinner for the newsboys and bootblacks given by Mr. Joseph Pulitzer, proprietor of the POST-DISPATCH, took place to-day at the Italian Kitchen, on Olive street. Shortly before 11 a. m., the boys, to the number of about 125, formed in ranks and marched through the streets to the restaurant. The procession was orderly, considered as a gathering of street Arabs, and attracted great attention on the street. When the dining hall was reached the boys fell to eating at once. No grace was said and no time wasted. The boys were mostly in undress costume, and many of them carried blacking-boxes and brushes, which they carefully deposited under their chairs. The scene was one of considerable noise, but there was no disorder. That they were hungry there could be no doubt, and the way they clamored for food would have made the most confirmed dyspeptic feel good. A substantial and plentiful meal was served. The boys were served with heaped plates of turkey and stuffing, garnished with sauce, sweet and Irish potatoes and other luxuries. Bread and butter were supplied, together with steaming hot coffee, and pudding was the form in which the dessert was placed on the table. The boys were instructed that if one plate of turkey was not enough, they could call for more, and they availed themselves of this privilege with astonishing freedom. Whenever an unhappy waiter appeared among the tables, he was nearly driven crazy. "Here, here!" "More turkey!" "Give me some of that stuffin', will ye!" "Bread, bread, more bread!" "Where's that fork," "Jim's stole my pudding!" and a thousand other ejaculations drove the waiters almost crazy. The usual table etiquette was not observed. Nearly all the youngsters eat with their knives. After a trial or two with a fork, most of them gave up this article of table-ware and relied altogether on his knife and his teeth. The boys were at table nearly an hour, and at noon they again formed into line and marched down to the POST-DISPATCH office, where three cheers were given for Mr. Pulitzer, and all connected with the paper.

COOK'S IMPERIAL CHAMPAGNE.
The rich vintage of '78 now ready for market; naturally fermented in bottles; guaranteed pure and equal to the best imported.

### Persistent Property-Owners.

The Real Estate Protective Association, composed of property-owners opposed to the system of granite reconstruction adopted by the city authorities, is not as dormant as the Street Commissioner was led to believe. Several property-owners met last week to discuss the situation and it was determined to resist any effort at granite reconstruction in respect of the streets abutting on their property. If the ground is broken for the purpose it is understood that an enjoining order will be asked for in the courts until the property owners have had a fair hearing. They object more to the method of reconstruction than to the granite. The way that it is laid down has called forth bitter complaint. An audience was sought with the Street Commissioner on the subject, but it is said that the parties remonstrating were met with defiant curses, and were told that the streets would be reconstructed on the plan adopted, irrespective of any whims on the part of the property-owners.

TWENTY words for ten cents in the POST-DISPATCH want columns. To secure the same number of city readers you would have to advertise in all the other papers, English and German.

REMEMBER
CONRAD'S GENTLEMEN'S SITTING ROOMS.
411 TO 415 N. SIXTH ST.

### Co-operative Cotton-Growers.

The Postmaster has received letters from colored folks engaged in a small way in the cotton-growing districts seeking information of reliable business houses here with whom to communicate for trading purposes. They desire to be furnished with provisions, clothing, furniture, etc., on the coöperative plan. They propose to trade their joint product for family supplies on a wholesale basis, and thus save the profit margin of the retailer. This is destructive to the interest retail business interests in the country districts, and the coöperative system will not be encouraged by the wholesale houses in this city for obvious reasons.

CALL and see Van Blarcom's thirty-five dollar road and business harness. 613 North Seventh street.

### Arrested.

Paul Coper was arrested last night at 2010 Olive street on a warrant charging him with having defrauded Maurice Rubens of seventeen ladies' satchels valued at $400. The arrest was effected by Deputy Sheriffs Kirby and Walters.

SHERIFF A. J. ALLEN, of Center county, Iowa, passed through the city this morning on his way home, having in charge Wm. Spinner, whom he arrested at Greenville, Mo., for a burglary committed at Pleasanton, Iowa. Spinner escaped from the Sheriff at Piedmont yesterday, and took to the woods, but was recaptured after a three hours' chase. Spinner claims to have been a reporter on the Cincinnati Commercial some years ago.

Mr. Lee Denmire desires to make it known that he wishes all of his friends a Merry Christmas.

### Hotel Arrivals.

J. V. Moore, of Lebanon, Mo.; W. Alivard, of Sedalia, Mo.; J. H. Droughton and wife, of Texarkana, Ark.; Daniel Cay, of Nashville, Ill.; Mrs. G. Y. Hollingsworth and daughter, of New York, are at the Laclede.

J. W. Moore, Kansas City; E. L. Hinman, Columbus, O.; William Thomas, Texas; J. C. Stewart, Webb City, Mo.; J. F. Mitchell, Galena, Kas.; J. P. Lemist, Sedalia, H. B. Handly, Springfield, Mass., are at the Planters'.

A. L. Winters, Kansas City; S. J. Wright, Paris, Tex.; M. E. Tausick, Galveston, Tex.; William H. Wallace, Kansas City; G. A. Phinney, Westfield, Mo.; C. A. Woodworth, Buffalo, and Augustus Jacobson, Chicago, are at the Southern.

J. W. Hearn, of New Orleans; J. W. Emery and wife, of Quiney, Ill.; Miss Jessie Stellman, of Hannibal, Mo.; Geo. W. Drewling and wife, of Sandoval; J. Treusdorf, of Cincinnati; R. T. S. Lowell, of Chicago; Maurice W. Clark, of Bloomington, Ill., are at the Lindell.

M. Goforth, of Iola, Kas.; Geo. W. Hoble, of Verona, Mo.; Victor Kottman and wife, of Augusta, Ark.; Wm. H. Walker, of Newport, Ark.; C. R. Foster, of Columbus, Kas.; R. F. Rawdon, of Springfield, Mo.; Henry C. Massey, Barclay Wedding; Miss Mattie Forest, Miss Maud Forest, Jerseyville, Ill.; T. J. Poor and wife, of Kansas City, Mo., are at the St. James.

### A New Kind Wanted.

From the Detroit Free Press.

We were having a long wait at a railroad junction in Georgia, when an old darkey turned up with a basket of boiled eggs and sandwiches. When he had passed around through the crowd he winked me to step aside, and as we sat down on some boxes in the freight house, he began:

"I reckon you's from up Norf?"

"Yes."

"Well, sah, I wanted to ax how many kinds of reilgun you had up dat way?"

"Oh, about a dozen, I guess."

"Cracky, golly!" he whispered, "but dat lets me out! Say!"

"Yes."

"We hasn't got but two kinds down yere—Baptist an' Methodist. 'Cordin' to de Baptist ize got to forgive de nigger who stole all my hay las' week, an' 'cordin' to de Methodist I can't lick de ouery rascal who tied up my ole mule in de scrub an' left him to starve to death."

"And you want a new kind?"

"Zactly, sah—zactly. I want sunthin' lat'll answer fust rate doorin' a thunderstorm to keep de roof on de ole cabin' an' which will arterwards let me cotch an' wollop ole Adams de fust time he menshuns dat I went to jail fur thirty days fur habin' one calf too much."

I gave him one, and he was so pleased that he wanted to present me with thirty-one boiled eggs and ten pounds of sandwiches.

### BULLS AND BULLION.

#### A Good Report of the Cattle and Mining Industries of New Mexico.

Among this morning's arrivals at the Southern is Mr. J. Franz Charez, of Albuquerque, N. M., one of the largest cattle ranches of that comparatively undeveloped territory. Mr. Charez, who is an enthusiastic believer in the future of New Mexico said to a POST-DISPATCH reporter this morning that the territory's development during the coming year promises to be very extensive. The winter thus far has been wet and there was excellent promise of food for the cattle whose increase would probably be greater than in any previous season. The mining interests, also, promised to be considerably augmented. Prospectors had in past years been too much given to crediting the reports of wonderful discoveries in different parts of the country, but of late they have learned that the mountain ranges close to the settled towns were as rich in mineral as any and, with other special advantages at hand, much easier and more profitable to work. In this way the more accessible mining lands near to the towns and cities are being worked with advantage both to the miners and the merchants. From the two industries of cattle-raising and mining, the territory, Mr. Charez said, would reap a rich revenue during 1883.

Headache Cured.
Headache, no matter from what cause, positively cured in ten minutes. 414 North Seventh street. Leslie E. Keeley, M. D. P. D. Cordell, assistant.

### TIGER AND LEOPARD SKINS.

#### Material for Rugs and Robes Which is Very Scarce and Costly.

From the New York Sun.

A dealer in carpets, rugs, lap robes and similar lines of goods advertised tiger and leopard skins for sale.

"Well, that ad. will have to come out," he said to a Sun reporter who called at his store. "We haven't any tiger and leopard skins now and shan't have any more till next summer, and maybe not till next fall. They are hard to get. Tiger skins come from India. I understand there is a law under which the skins of tigers slain belong to to the Rajah or native ruler of the district in which they are killed, and that traders have to get them from these rulers. They come in small lots, say twenty-five at a time, and nearly all in such a lot are skins of the cheetah, and not of the Bengal tiger. The skins come rolled and tied up, are not cured, and are not such objects as a fastidious bachelor would care to have among the rugs on his parlor floor, or to wrap around any lady whom he might take driving on one of the up-town roads. The fur is matted down and the skin has an offensive odor. They have to be cured here till the skin is pliable and without odor, and the fur assumes its natural appearance. Then they are lined and trimmed. This work depends upon whether they are to be used as lap robes or as rugs. Skins of the leopard and the cheetah are too small for robes, and so they are pieced out on all sides by goat skins. Thus prepared they are valuable, selling for $30 or more. But the skins of royal Bengal tigers bring prices proportionate to their scarcity and their size. They are large enough for a full-sized lap robe, and the fur is very heavy. When designed for robes the heads are prepared especially. Big glass eyes, greenish in color, and made to look like the eyes of a living tiger, are put in the sockets, and the mouth is colored red. A 'moustache,' which corresponds to the 'smellers' of a cat, is put on. The skin is provided with a costly lining. Robes of this sort are very rare, and they cost about $60."

A very pretty robe that sells at a moderate figure is made of Siberian wolf skins. The natural color varies from a creamy white to black. The latter sells for about $13. There others very prettily marked with shades of dark brown. Chinese goat skin robes have been in the market for many years. The fur is long and of a silver-gray color.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.
Or those with weak lungs, spitting of blood, bronchitis, or kindred affections of throat or lungs, send two stamps for Dr. R. V. Pierce's treatise on these maladies. Address the doctor, Buffalo, N. Y.

## THE QUEEN.

### Her Cold Reception by the London Populace.

London Cor. New York Sun.

The last flourish of trumpets has sounded, the seemingly endless list of laudatory epithets is exhausted, rewards deserved and undeserved have been distributed, honors conferred, on the principle, apparently of seniority, for the biggest favors were conferred on the highest in command, and Lord Wolseley has kissed the Queen's hand on assuming his brand new title. After the demonstrations of a warlike nature came the peaceful ceremonies attending the opening of the new Law Courts, and they have again brought her Majesty to her capital. Much wrangling, symbolical pomps, of future scenes thus inaugurated, was necessary before the Queen consented to pass through the populous commercial, but indisputably narrow, Strand, as she may be not imprudently, preferred the wider area of the embankment to the close proximity with her subjects. Some of the perils attending the transit were obviated by the undignified haste at which the royal cortege was trotted down the suspiciously crowded thoroughfares, and by the closing in of the mounted escort around the carriage wheels. In a gathering so dense that women fainted, children screamed, ribs were punched in, elbows dislocated, and pick-pockets debarred the use of their nimble fingers: but not a hat was lifted, not a cheer sounded; no sign of love or respect were visible—I en déplaire the newspaper paragraphs which talk of loyalty, enthusiasm and so forth. Indeed, the dull, sullen silence which mostly marked the passage of the sovereign, was, after all, the only token of regard she received yesterday. In the center of the city, where its pulses throb with the blood of its million of artisans, hisses were frequently perceptible, and epithets which reminded one of the dread days of the French revolution when the Queen was called "Boulangere" as this one is dubbed "Washerwoman." Ridicule and vulgar chaff prove even more disaffection than honest party antagonism. The hundreds of policemen with watchful, anxious eyes, standing in serried ranks at any point of more than usual facility of approach, the thousands of special constables sworn in for the day, the Chief of the Constabulary riding in front of the cortege, the never-relaxing speed, the unresponsive multitude, the ominous indifference even in the fashionable and aristocratic avenues of Hyde Park, seemed more like the transit of a state prisoner from citadel to citadel, through a rebellious city, than the passage of a queen returning from a peaceful ceremony.

TWENTY words for ten cents in the POST-DISPATCH want columns is the most economical advertising ever offered in the West.

### The Italian Bradlaugh.

From the London Vanity Fair.

Signor Coccapeiller, the Bradlaugh of the Italian Chamber, took the oath at the opening of Parliament. He wore dress clothes and spurs, and nodded affably to the King, whom he has promised to support as long as his Majesty conforms to his political views. Small demonstrations are continually made in honor of Coccapeiller, but no serious disturbance has yet taken place.

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## MURDER OR SUICIDE?

### Death of Blitz, a Musician, Well-Known in Kansas City and St. Louis.

### It is Alleged That His Mistress Shot Him--A Mysterious Occurrence.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, MO., December 25.—Jacob Blitz, a well-known musician of this city and leader of Coates' Opera-house Orchestra, suicided in his room at 511 Oak street this morning by sending a bullet into his brain. His mistress, Addie Ayers, was in the room at time and witnessed the shooting. Blitz has lived in the city for about four years, but formerly lived in St. Louis, where he was leader of several well known bands. They occupied rooms on Market street, boarding with a lady named Clark. During the six years that they lived together as man and wife several separations took place, but each time the woman returned to live with her paramour, to whom she seemed strongly attached, and from whom, according to her story she received but little support and much abuse. While in St. Louis she at divers times entered houses of ill-fame, claiming she was forced to that extremity by the miserly conduct of Blitz. Leaving St. Louis they came to this city and took rooms with a lady on West Seventh street, where they lived as man and wife until the history of their past relations became known. The two quarrelled incessantly, and on one occassion Blitz made a brutal as sault on her in public. A separation followed, and the woman entered a sporting-house on Fourth street, but soon returned to live with her alleged husband. Lately they have been living at 511 Oak street, the scene of the suicide. Blitz was 30 years old and was considered a man of reputable habits. He was engaged to Fanny Canman, a St. Louis lady, a letter from whom came to him a few hours after his death.

LATER.

Blitz' mistress is at the police station under guard. It is now believed by the officers that Blitz did not suicide, but was murdered by the woman. She confesses that she was jealous of him, but denies the shooting. The killing was done with a twenty-two calibre revolver.

## BOSS WINANS' HOUSE.

### A Description of the Baltimore Millionaire's Magnificent New Residence.

Baltimore Cor. of Philadelphia Times.

The magnificent private residence for Ross R. Winans, the well known millionaire, on St. Paul street, the erection of which was commenced last spring, is now completed. The workmen are putting on the finishing touches, carpets, etc., are being laid and by next week the dwelling will be ready for occupancy. The structure is said to be the finest private house south of New York and will excel in point of beauty and elegance any dwelling in Baltimore. A number of invited guests, accompanied by Mr. Winans, visited the house this afternoon to make an inspection. The lot upon which the house stands is 125 feet front by 122½ feet deep. The house itself is 66 feet front by 75 feet deep, and is five stories high, with sloping Mansard roof. The style is French renaissance and the exterior resembles very closely an old Belgian or French chateau, with clinging ivy and historical associations. What remains of the lot has been transformed into a beautiful garden at a cost of $30,000. Around the yard and building is a brick enclosure. The interior of the dwelling is as magnificent as the fancy of the owner can make it. It is of satin red oak and ebonized cherry woods, inlaid and carved, and in each room there are costly beveled mirrors. The hall runs the full length of the building and upon its ornamentation and decoration have been expended alone $50,000.

The cost of the entire building and garden when finished will be about $500,000. In the construction Mr. Winans ordered that no expense be spared. There are rooms in the basement for sixteen servants, also laundry, kitchen, boiler-pit, store room and drying room, and upon the first floor there is a handsome ball room, drawing, reception, dining rooms, parlor and library. The other floors are to be taken up with bed-rooms. The most striking feature in the architectural appearance of the house are two towers, one at the front and the other at the rear. They reach only as far as the cornice, and remind one of the pictures of Kenilworth Castle. At the side of each of the towers rise four circular chimneys, unique in design and made of pressed red brick, with jet-black cement. The material of which the house is built is pressed brick and brownstone and the blending of color is rich and perfect. Mr. Winans will move from his Hollins street mansion and occupy the residence on St. Paul street as soon as finished. The old mansion will be occupied by his sister. The new building was designed by McKim, Mead & White, of New York, the architects who designed the Vanderbilt mansion, and the builder was Blake, of Baltimore.

## A GOWN'S FINE POINTS.

### Wherein a Worth Costume is Superior to the Dress Made at Home.

From the New York Evening Post.

An American Worth, whose reputation as an artist is unquestioned, has just sent home to a lady friend two very stylish dresses. Beyond the fact that the woolen frabric is made up over a foundation of silk, and apart from the additional fact that fit and finish are both exceptionally good, there is nothing to really justify the highly extravagant sum charged for these dresses; but the wearer certainly has the satisfaction of knowing, however unpretentious her robe is in the eye of the inexperienced, it must testify of the high character of the atelier from which it emanated. In place of the aggressive bustle, which is such an eyesore for many, these dresses are arranged inside the skirts with stiff mohair crinolettes of graceful shapes and dimensions, set some distance below the waist. Near the bottom of the skirt two semi-circular strips of fine whalebone are inserted. These are so pliable and so firmly kept in place by yielding bands of elastic that any objectionable swing is obviated. Placed thus low on the skirt it in no way interferes with the graceful lines of the dress in a sitting position, while when the figure is once more erect it retains its pristine curves.

The custom of using silk lining for a dress of less costly description may appear extravagant and absurd, but the fall of a skirt and the fit of a bodice are wonderfully improved by its substitution for ordinary linings and gives to a dress that look of finished elegance so noticeable in all Parisian models.


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| Central New Jersey | 71¾ | 72 | 70¾ | 71¾ |
| Central Pacific | 86¾ | 86¾ | 86¼ | 86¾ |
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| do pref | | | | |
| 2d pref | | | | |
| Chicago and Alton | | | | |
| Chicago, St. P., M. and O | 83¾ | 83¾ | 83¼ | 83¾ |
| do pref | 114 | 114 | 113¾ | 114 |
| Chicago, R. I. & P | 128¾ | 128¾ | 128¾ | 128¾ |
| Chicago, B. & Q | 128¾ | 128¾ | 128¾ | 128¾ |
| Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul | 107¾ | 107¾ | 107¾ | 107¾ |
| do pref | | | | |
| Chicago, St. L. & N. O | | | | |
| Chicago & Northwest | 138¼ | 138¼ | 138 | 138¾ |
| do pref | | | | |
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| Col., Chic. & I. C | | | | 4 |
| Del., Lack. & W | 126¾ | 126¾ | 126¾ | 126¾ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 108¾ | 108¾ | 108 | 108¾ |
| Denver & Rio Grande | 43¾ | 43 | 42¾ | 43 |
| Illinois Central | | | | |
| Hannibal & St. Joe | | | | |
| Houston & Texas | | | | |
| Ind., B. & Western | 34¾ | 34¾ | 34¼ | 34¼ |
| Lake Shore | 116¾ | 117¼ | 116¼ | 117¼ |
| Lake Erie & Western | | | | |
| Louisville & Nashville | 53¾ | 54 | 53¾ | 53¾ |
| Illinois Central | | | | |
| Nickel Plate | | | | |
| Memphis and Charleston | | | | |
| Michigan Central | 103 | 103 | 101¾ | 102¼ |
| Missouri Pacific | 102¾ | 42¾ | 102¾ | 103¾ |
| Missouri, Kansas & Texas | 33¾ | 33¾ | 33¼ | 33¾ |
| Mobile & Ohio | | | | |
| Manhattan, Elevated | | | | |
| Metropolitan, Elevated | | | | |
| New York Central | 125¾ | 125¾ | 125¼ | 125¾ |
| Erie | 29¾ | 30¼ | 29¾ | 29¾ |
| Northern Pacific | 45¾ | 46 | 45¾ | 45¾ |
| do pref | 83 | 83¼ | 82¾ | 83 |
| Nashville, Chat. & St. Louis | 56¾ | 56¾ | 56 | 56¼ |
| Norfolk & Western | 144¾ | 144¾ | 144¾ | 144¾ |
| do pref | 141 | 141 | 141 | 141 |
| Ohio & Mississippi | 32¾ | 32¾ | 32¼ | 32¾ |
| Ohio Central | 12¾ | 13¼ | 11¾ | 12¾ |
| Ohio Southern | | | | |
| Ontario & Western | 25¾ | 25¾ | 25¾ | 25¾ |
| Pacific Mail | 43 | 43 | 42¾ | 42¾ |
| Phil. & Reading | 54¾ | 54¾ | 53¾ | 54¼ |
| Peoria, D. & E | 28¾ | 29¼ | 28¾ | 29¼ |
| St. L. & San F | | | | |
| do pref | 53¼ | 53¼ | 53¼ | 53¾ |
| Terre Haute | 40¾ | 40¾ | 39¾ | 40¼ |
| Texas & Pacific | 40¾ | 40¾ | 39¾ | 40¼ |
| Union Pacific | 103¾ | 104¼ | 103¼ | 103¾ |
| Wabash, St. L. & P | 34¾ | 34¾ | 34¼ | 34¾ |
| do pref | 58¾ | 58¾ | 58¼ | 58¾ |
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| Terre Haute | | | | |
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| 4½ 2 cent bonds | 1891 | J. J. A. & O | 119¾ | 120¼ |
| 4 cent bonds | 1901 | J. J. A. & O | 119 | 120¼ |

STATE BONDS.

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mo. 6's | 1892 | Jan. & July | 101½ | 102 |
| Mo. 6's | 1887 | Jan. & July | 108 | |
| Mo. 6's | 1888-89 | Jan. & July | 119¾ | |
| Mo. 6's | 1894 | Jan. & July | 120 | |
| Mo. 5-20's of 1873 and 1876 | 1895-98 | Jan. & July | 100 | |
| Mo. 5-20's of 1877 | 1887 | Jan. & July | 100 | |

ST. LOUIS CITY AND COUNTY BONDS.*

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| City 6's, gold | 1893-94 | Various. | 112 | 113 |
| City 6's, gold | 1908 | May & Nov. | 118¾ | 117 |
| City 6's, currency | 1886-87 | Various. | 106¾ | 107¾ |
| City water 6's | 1907 | June & Dec 25 | 108¾ | 107¾ |
| City water 6's | 1896 | June & Dec 25 | 108¾ | 110¾ |
| City water 6's | 1892 | April & Oct. | 112 | 113½ |
| City 6's, gold | 1900 | Jan. & July | 108¾ | 109¾ |
| County 6's, gold | 1895-96 | Jan. & July | 112 | 114 |
| County Park | 1905 | Jan. & July | 118 | 120 |
| County 7's, currency | 1885 | Jan. & July | 104½ | 106½ |

*Interest to seller.

RAILWAY BONDS.

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mo. Pac. 1st m 6's | 1888 | Feb. & Aug. | 106 | |
| Mo. Pac. 2d m 7's | 1891 | Jan. & July | 114 | |
| N. Mo. 1st m 7's | 1895 | Jan. & July | 120 | 125 |
| K. P. 1st m 6's | 1925 | Feb. & Aug. | 111¾ | |
| K. P. 1st m 6's | 1896 | June & Dec. | 106 | 107 |
| K. P. D. Ex. 7's | 1899 | May & Nov. | 106 | 107 |
| K. P. Consols | 1919 | May & Nov. | 100 | |
| St. L. & I. M. 1st 7's | 1892 | Feb. & Aug. | 116 | |

LAND WARRANTS.

| | | Buy-ing. | Sell-ing. |
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| Land warrants, | 160 acres | $185 | |
| Land warrants, | 120 acres | 135 | |
| Land warrants, | 80 acres | 90 | |
| Land warrants, | 40 acres | 44 | |
| Clearings to-day | | $2,465,420 | |
| Balances to-day | | 271,061 | |
| Balances this week | | 2,810,439 | |
| Clearings this week | | 17,856,357 | |
| Clearings last week | | 17,456,357 | |
| Clearings corresponding week of 1881 | | 150,223,384 | |


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## COMMERCE.

### Grain Inspections.

INTO ELEVATORS.—Wheat—2 cars No. 3 spring; 17 cars No. 2 Mediterranean; 1 car No. 3 do; 58 cars No. 2 red winter; 14 cars No. 3 do; 3 cars No. 4; 3 cars rejected; total 93 cars.

Corn—24 cars new mixed; 1 car new white-mixed; 1 car rejected do; 64 No. 2 mixed; 15 cars rejected; total 105 cars.

Oats—29 cars No. 2; 7 cars rejected; total 36 cars.

Barley—None.

Rye—3 cars No. 2.

Total in, 237 cars.

OUT OF ELEVATORS.—Wheat—12 cars No. 3 red winter; 2 cars No. 4; 2 cars rejected; total 16 cars.

Corn—25 cars new-mixed; 1 car new white-mixed; 1 car rejected do; 63 cars No. 2 mixed; 1 car rejected; total 91 cars.

### COUNTRY PRODUCE.

BUTTER—Quote: Creamery—Fair to good 35@37; choice to fancy 38@40. Dairy—Choice to fancy 32@34; good to choice 26@30; fair to good 20@25; common 15@18; choice yellow country 18@20; poor to fair 13@17. Roll—Northern 24@28 for choice; 20@23 for medium to prime; near-by make 14@18 to 20@23 for poor to choice.

CHEESE—Mild late make full cream 12½@13½; sharp do 9@10; prime to choice skims 8@8¼; inferior do 2@4; young America 14@15.

EGGS—24 for choice marks; pickled lots much lower.

POULTRY—Dressed—Turkeys at 10@11 for undrawn with head and feet on 12@13 rough badly dressed and thin to 13½@14c for choice per lb. Chickens at 25@2 00 for small and thin; $2 25@2 75 for medium; $3 00@3 for choice to fancy large. Geese $2 50@4 for small and rough; $5@6 for good to choice; $7@8 for heavy and fat. Ducks $2 50@3 for small and rough; $3 25@3 75 for medium-sized; $4@4 25 for choice large.

GAME—Prices of selected stock ranged: Grouse $5 00@6 50; large quail $1 25@1 50; small 66@75c; duck—mallard $1 50; teal $1 40; mixed duck 75c; deer carcasses 7@9; venison saddle 12@15 ₱ lb; domestic, 18@20 for Minnesota and black tail; antelope 15c; bear 12½@15 ₱ lb; rabbit 90c@1 ₱ doz; undrawn—25@50c less for undrawn; and sour; jack rabbit $2 75@3 00; squirrel 75c@90; wild pigeons, 30@40; opossum 10@20; turkeys 80@1 25, each 12½c ₱ lb; and wild geese 15@20c each.

WOOL—We quote: Tubwashed 28@30; for low, fair 32@33; 34@35c for choice; unwashed 25c for medium; 18@20c for coarse, 13@17 for burry; Southern do 10@12½.

FEATHERS—Prime live geese 56c in large and 57c in small sacks; unripe, quilly and wet 45@50c; mixed and old 30@40c. Tare 3 per cent on large, 10 on small sacks.

APPLES—We quote: Ben. Davis $2 50@75; Winesap $2 75@3; Genitting $2 50@2 75. Foregoing quotations are for good to fancy fruit, well packed; frosted slack barrels or otherwise inferior stock much less.

HIDES—Dry flint—No. 1 at 17; damaged 14; dry salted at 12½, damaged 10½; bull and stag 10½; green salted 8½, partly cured 7½@8½; uncured damaged 6½@6½ and branded 1c less; salted bull and stag 6; uncured 5; glue stock 3. Hides 10 lbs and under classed as damaged; glue stock 5.

CABBAGE—Northern $8@10 ₱ 100.

POTATOES—Choice Northern; eachdow (5@75c; rose and peerless 80@85; dry rotted and inferior 55@65 ₱ bu.

ONIONS—Choice yellow 60@65c and red 70c ₱ bu; choice red and yellow $1 50@1 75 ₱ brl.

SWEET POTATOES—Nansemond $3@3 25 for red, $2 50@2 75 for yellow; Bermuda $1 75@2 ₱ brl.

COOPERSTUFF—Shaved hoops—Country flour brls, 85@5 50; cooper shaved $6@6 25, pork brls, $10@12; lard tierce do $12@16; casks $18@20; half-casks $16@18. Staves (car lots E. side); machine flour brl, oak, $7 50@8; elm $6@8. Heading (car lots E. side, soft wood 6@5½c; hard do 6½@6; whisky brls (with heading), green $15; dry $22; half-casks $10 50@12; hhds $20@24; dry half hhds $13@18; green tierce $14; dry do $16; dry keg beer $20@22; green $12@15.

COOPERAGE—We quote the range (del): Flourbrls—City elm 39@40; country 32@34; city oak 42; country do 36; pickled pork 39; for patent hoop and 35 for round hoop. Pork brls nice at 1 00; lard tierces 1 20@1 25; half lard tierces 70; lard kegs 40@50; bacon casks $1 70@1 75; half-casks 85@$1; ham tierces—small 60, large 70; whisky brls—Iron-bound 6-hoop, $1 40@1 60, 8-hoop $1 60@1 80; half-brls $1 25.

SAUER KRAUT—City on order $4 50 ₱ brl; $2 75 ₱ half brl.

CRANBERRIES—Cape Cod $15 00@17 and Bell and Bugle $14 50@15 50 ₱ brl.

WHITE BEANS—Eastern hand-picked medium $2 70, and navy from first hands $2 80; screened 10 less than hand-picked; country $1 85@2 15.

GREEN DRIED PEAS—Choice lobbing from store at $1 25@1 30 as in quality.

DRIED FRUIT—We quote: Apples—Inferior and dark 6@6½, fair 6¾@7¼, choice 7@7¼, fancy 7¾@8¼, sliced 8@9, good to choice evaporated 10@12c. Peaches—Inferior 5¼@5½, prime 6¾@6, choice halves 6¾@7¼.

FURS—We quote (nominally): Raccoon—No. 1 large 60c; small No. 1 at 50; No. 2 30@35; No. 3 20; No. 4 10. Skunk (cased)—Black 75@85; short stripe 50@60; narrow stripe 30; white 10; territory black 50; short 25; narrow 20; white 7. Polecat 9@10. Otters (case)—No. 1 $7; No. 2 $5; No. 3 $2 50; No. 4 10c@$1; open otter one grade less. Possum 10@15. Muskrat 5@15. Mink 10@40. Fox (cased)—No. 1 75; open do 60. Cat—Wild No. 1 50; house 10. Beaver 50c@$4. Badger 25@50. Bear $1@8. Wolf 25@$3.

TROPICAL FRUITS—We quote: Oranges—Louisiana $10@10 50 and Jamaica $8 50@9 ₱ brl; Florida $3@4 50 per box; Valencia $7 50 per case. Lemons—Malaga $3@3 50. Malaga grapes $6 50@9 ₱ brl, as in condition and size of barrel. Bananas on orders $2 50@3 50 ₱ bunch. Cocoanuts $65 ₱ 1,000.

VEALS—Live at 3@4 for heretics; 7@7½ for choice small milk-fed; medium 6@6½; carcasses 8@10.

MOSS—We quote: Gray-mixed 2@3; gray and brown mixed 3@4; brown and black 4@5; all black 5@6½.

ROOTS—We quote: Ginseng $1 25@1 50; Seneca 30@35; blue flag 3½@5; blood root 3; golden seal 13@14; snake 10@12; black 3½@4; may apple 2½@3; pink 15@16; Colombo 3; lady-slipper 5; bitter-sweet bark 6.

BALINGSTUFF—We quote: Jute bagging 1¾@1¾ at 7¾; 1¾@1¾ do 8; 1¼ ₱ do 8½; 2-lb do 9, Hemp twine 11@12. Iron cotton ties $1 25@1 60.

SHEEP PELTS—We quote: Green shearings 15@25; pelt 65@90; dry pelts 50@85; do shearings 15. Prices governed by amount and quality of wool on pelts.

BROOM CORN—Crooked or short 2@3; fair 3½@3½; prime 4@4½; choice to fancy 5@6.

BEESWAX—Southern yellow 28; dark 25@26.

HOPS—New York and Pacific Coast $1@1 10; Wisconsin 80@90; German $1 20@1 30.

SORGHUM—Choice at 35@40c per gal.

HEMP—We quote: Undressed hemp $60@90; dressed hemp $135@150; shorts $120@135; hackled tow 55@60; break tow 35@40 per ton.

NUTS—Chestnuts—Eastern 10@12; Southern 7@8 ₱ lb; Western pecans 5½@9; Texas 7@8½; peanuts—red 3½@4; white 4½@5; hazelnuts 2@3½; Walnuts 40c ₱ lb; hickory nuts—Shellbark $1@1 10; large 50@60.

DEERSKINS—We quote: Prime summer 35@36; fall 32@33; winter 28@30; salted and meaty 20@23; green 16; salted 11.

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SCOPPING TIN.

IC, 14x20, Best charcoal roofing, 112 sheets.....
IC, 20x28, " " " " .....
IC, 20x28, " " " " .....
IX, 20x28, " " " " .....

BRIGHT MARKET WIRE.

Nos. 6 to 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14,
Price, 9 10 11 11¼ 12 12½
Nos. 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20
Price, 14 15 16 18 20
Full bundles of 63 lbs 50 per cent discount. Coppered wire 45 per cent discount.

GENUINE IRON SHEETS.

6 inch, per doz..... $7 50 | 6 inch, per doz..... $9 50
8½ inch, per doz..... 8 50 | 7 inch, per doz..... 11 50
Discount 20 per cent.

PATENT METALLIC SHEETS.

| No. | Mesh | Annealed. | Plated. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 14 | | $4 00 | 4 70 |
| 16 | " | 4 10 | 4 80 |
| 18 | " | 4 15 | 4 85 |
| 20 | " | 4 15 | 4 85 |
| 22 | " | 4 15 | 4 85 |
| 24 | " | 5 15 | 4 90 |

Discount 50 per cent.

CHARCOAL TIN PLATE.

IC, 10x14, Best Charcoal, 225 sheets, ₱ box..... $ 7 00
IC, 10x14, " " 225 " " ..... 7 00
IC, 12x12, " " 225 " " ..... 7 00
IX, 12x12, " " 225 " " ..... 9 00
IC, 14x20, " " 112 " " ..... 9 00
IX, 14x20, " " 112 " " ..... 9 00
IXX, 14x20, " " 112 " " ..... 11 00
IXXX, 14x20, " " 112 " " ..... 13 00
IXXXX, 14x20, " " 112 " " ..... 15 00
IX, 20x28, " " 112 " " ..... 19 00

STOVE POLISH.

Legal Tender..... per gross..... $1 75
Excelsior..... per gross..... 2 50
Charter Oak..... per gross..... 3 50
Charter Oak, in bulk, 25-lb box, per lb..... 7
German black lead, per lb..... 4
Charles' Brilliant..... 45

PLANISHED AMERICAN RUSSIAN IRON.

8 inch, per doz..... $5 50 | 6 inch, per doz..... $8 50
8½ inch, per doz..... 7 00 | 7 inch, per doz..... 9 50

BLOCK TIN.

L & F large pigs, ₱ lb..... 27
L & F small pigs, ₱ lb..... 28
Bar tin, ₱ lb..... 29

4-PIECED ELBOW.

inch.....per doz..... $1 25

LEAD.

Pig lead, ₱ lb, (large) extra soft..... 5½
Bar lead, ₱ lb..... 6½

AMERICAN PLANISHED RUSSIA.

No. 24, A quality..... ₱ lb 10½
No. 26, A quality..... 10½
No. 27, A quality..... 10½
No. 24, B quality..... 9½
No. 26, B quality..... 9½
No. 27, B quality..... 9½
For less than full bundle, 1 cent ₱ lb extra.

RUSSIA SHEET IRON—(Genuine.)

Nos. 8, 9 and 10 Russia iron..... ₱ lb 13
No. 11..... 13
No. 12..... 14
Stained Russia 3c ₱ lb less.
For less than full bundle, 1 cent ₱ lb extra.

REFINED CHARTER OAK.

No. 24..... ₱ 80
No. 26..... 1 00
No. 27..... 1 00
No. 28, best charcoal iron, 24 and 26 inch, ₱ lb..... 7 00
County 7's, currency..... 7 50
For less than full bundle, 4 cent ₱ lb extra.

COKE TIN PLATE.

IC, 10x14, Best Charcoal, 225 sheets..... ₱ box..... $ 6 25
IC, 10x20, " " " " ..... 10 00
IC, 14x20, " " " " ..... 6 25

FENCE WIRE.

No. 7, 8 and 9, fence wire..... 3 25
No. 10, crape trellis wire..... 3 50
No. 11, " " ..... 4 00
No. 12, " " ..... 5 00
Special prices for quantities.
Parent barbed pincer ₱ doz.....
Fence wire stretchers.....
Barbed fence wire, twisted, ₱ lb.....
galv'd.
Staples, self-clinching, by keg, ₱ lb.....
Staples.....
Empire.....
Humboldt.....

3-16 Braziers' rods, 16 ft long, ₱ lb, by bdl.....
¼ " " ₱ lb.....

BRASS KETTLES.

All sizes to 12..... ₱ 45
14 and larger..... 45
Copper kettles, hand-made, per lb.....

GALVANIZED SHEET IRON.

No. 16 to 20, gal'v. iron, 24, 28 & 30 in. wide..... 12 00
" 21 to 24, " " " " " ..... 14 00
" 25 to 26, " " " " " ..... 15 00
Manufacturers, blacksmiths, engineers, blacksmiths' full bundle 1¢ ₱ lb extra.
Discount 50 per cent.

WOODEN GUTTERS (POPLAR).

4 inch rough, per foot..... cents
4½ inch rough, per foot..... 2¼ cents
5 inch rough, per foot..... 3 cents
6 inch rough..... 4 cents

SOLDER.

Ex. M. Co.'s No. 1 solder, ₱ lb for assortment of work.....
C. Oak best refined solder, ₱ lb.....
Babbit metal (best) No. 1.....
" No. 2.....
" No. 3.....
" No. 4.....

POPLAR AND ASH.

1st Siding..... $18 00
2d Siding..... 14 00
1st Ceiling, 7-16 in., 6 in..... 30 00
2d Ceiling, 7-16 in., 6 in..... 16 00
1st Box Boards, rough, 14 and 16 ft..... 37 00
2d or select Box Boards, rough, 14 and 16 ft.....
1st and 2d clear, 1¼, 1¾ and 2 in.....
Common Boards.....
1st Panel, s. 1 s., 4 to 10 in., $25 00; 7-16 in.....
2d Panel, s. 1 s., 8 to 10 in., $17 00; 7-16 in.....

SHINGLES AND LATH.

| | Ends. | Car Load. |
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| Chippewa clear..... dry, $2 35 | $2 00 | |
| Eau Claire Extra..... | 1 35 | 1 30 |
| Moridean Extra..... | 1 35 | 1 30 |
| Meridean or Eau Claire Shaded A..... | 1 00 | 1 05 |
| Eau Claire or Meridean " No. 1..... | 1 00 | 1 05 |
| Lath..... | 1 40 | 1 65 |

RED CEDAR.

Sawed posts, quartered, No. 1, 27 cents; extra 22 c.; square, 7 in. 4x4, 32c; 8 in. 4x4, 38c; 8 in. 5x5, 56c; 9 in. 6x6, 84 c; 11 in. 6x6 to 8x8, 32c.
Sawed timbers, 10 to 12 in., $27 50; 14 to 16 in. $40.

Rates of Freight.

| By River: | Mem-phis. | Vicks-burg. | N. O. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Flour, ₱ brl..... | 30 | 50 | 60 |
| Pork, ₱ brl..... | 25 | 75 | 60 |
| Whisky..... | 1 25 | 1 75 | 1 00 |
| Meats, ₱ 100 lbs..... | 15 | 25 | 20 |
| Grain, ₱ 100 lbs..... | 15 | 25 | 20 |
| Hay..... | 20 | 30 | 25 |
| Bran..... | 15 | 25 | 20 |

To way points below Vicksburg 10c ₱ brl on flour and 5c ₱ 100 lbs on grain, etc., higher than to Vicksburg.

All rail from E. St. L., 4c additional ₱ 100 lbs from St. L.

| | N. Y. | Bost. | Phil. | Balt. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Flour..... | 70 | 80 | 60 | 60 |
| Grain..... | 35 | 40 | 32 | 32 |
| Pork..... | 35 | 40 | 32 | 32 |
| Meats..... | 40½ | 45½ | 38½ | 37½ |
| Loose..... | 46½ | 51½ | 44½ | 43½ |

## LUMBER

WHITE PINE.

Clear Tank Stuff, rough..... $35 00
1st 2d and Clear, 1¼ to 2 in..... 50 00
" " 1in..... 50 00
3rd " ¾ to 2 in..... 44 00
" " 1in..... 43 00
A Select, 1 to 2 in..... 37 00
" 1¼ to 2 in..... 38 00
" 2nd (10 in and over)..... 35 00
" 1 to 2in..... 30 00
B Select, 1¼ to 2 in..... 29 00
Clear Fenced, 2x4 and 2x6..... 34 00
" 2x 10 " 2x12..... 42 00
Select " 2x8 " 2x8..... 29 00
" 2x10 " 2x12..... 33 00
Clear and Select, 2x4..... 27 50
Extra Common boards, Joists, 12 to 20 ft..... 20 00
" 1-inch..... 20 00
" 1¼, 1¼, 2-inch..... 19 00
A Stock, 12 in. rough..... 42 00
C " " ..... 36 00
D " " ..... 30 00
" " 12 to 16 ft..... 19 00
" " 16 to 18 ft..... 20 00
A " Min. ..... 40 00
B " " ..... 34 00
C " " ..... 28 00
D " " ..... 18 00
A Box, 16 and 18 ft..... 47 50
C " " ..... 41 00
Flooring, Cl. and 1st com..... 32 00
" 2nd " ..... 20 00
" 3rd " 16 to 20 ft..... 25 00
" 4th " 16 ft..... 18 00
" 3d " 18 and 20 ft..... 18 00
Siding, 1st and 2d clear..... 24 00
" Clear and 1st com..... 22 00
" 2d " ..... 20 00
" 3d " ..... 18 00
" ¾ in. clear and 1st com..... 27 00
" " 2d " ..... 25 00
" " 3d " ..... 23 00
" ¾ in. clear and 1st com..... 4 00
" 2d " ..... $22 00
" 3d " ..... 24 00
" Clear and 1st com. corrugated..... 33 00

COMMON LUMBER.

No. 1 boards, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft..... $16 00
12-inch " (Nos. 1 and 2) 14 to 18 ft..... 15 50
No. 2 " 10, 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft..... 14 50
Cull boards ₱ sheathing..... 14 00
No. 1 fencing, 6 in., 16 ft..... 16 00
" 6 in., 12, 14, 18 and 20 ft..... 15 50
" 10 in., 12, 14, 18 and 20 ft..... 17 00
4-inch fencing one more.....
Cull fencing, 14, 16, 18 and 20 ft..... 12 00
Joists, 10 ft., 2x12 and under..... 14 00
" 12 to 14 ft..... 15 00
" 16 ft..... 16 00
" 18 ft..... 18 50
" 20 ft..... 20 00
" and 24 ft. 2x12..... 19 00
" 2x14..... 21 00
" 28 and 30 ft..... 24 00
Scantling, 2x4 and 4x4, 14 ft..... 16 00
" 16 ft..... 18 50
" 18 ft..... 18 00
" 20 ft..... 18 00
Yard timbers, up to 8x8, 12 to 16 ft..... 16 00
" 18 ft..... 18 00
" 20 ft..... 21 00
" 24 and 28 ft..... 22 00 and 23 00
Grub and No. 2 Joists, 12 to 16 ft..... 12 50
" 18 and 20 ft..... 12 50
No. 2 Scantling, 12 and 14 ft..... 12 50
" 16 ft..... 12 00
" 18 and 18ft..... 13 50

PICKETS AND SATTENS.

Flat Common Pickets, rough..... 11 00
" " dressed..... 13 00
" " dressed and pointed..... 15 00
" Selected d. and h. No. 1 or No. 2..... 26 00
1¼ in. Square " rough..... 15 00
" " dressed and headed..... 20 00
" " (Gothic head)..... 29 00
O. G. Battens, 2 in..... 7 00

YELLOW PINE.

1st and 2d Cl. Floor'g (15-16 in.), 6in..... $26 00
Star " " " ..... 23 00
Common " " " ..... 17 00
¾-inch, 1st and 2d cl. Ceiling, pl. or bead..... 23 00
" Star " " ..... 20 00
" Common " " ..... 15 00
¾-inch, 1st and 2d cl. " " ..... 17 00
1¼ in. Extra No. 1 Fencing, s. 1 s., ¾..... 26 00
1, 1¼ and 1½ in. 1st and 2d Cl. Step Stuff, s. 2 s..... 30 00
Wagon Bottom lumber, rough..... 22 00

## DRY GOODS.

CHEVIOTS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| American..... | 10 | Mahle..... | 19 |
| Muskeag, striped..... | 11½ | Merrimack, fancy..... | 9¼ |
| Amoskeag, plaid..... | 12½ | Quaker City, DC..... | 12½ |
| Bates' Basket..... | 11½ | Quaker City, B..... | 10 |
| Belmont..... | 12½ | Rivet..... | 8 |
| Cumberland..... | 8½ | River Mills..... | 7½ |
| Dudley..... | 11½ | Square Loth..... | 6½ |

CASHED COTTON.

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| Androscoggin, L..... | 9 | Knights Cambric..... | 10 |
| Androscoggin, AA..... | 10 | Langdon, GB..... | 12 |
| Blackstone, AA..... | 9 | Langdon, 76..... | 10¾ |
| Beaendale 88..... | 6½ | Lonsdale..... | 10 |
| Chapman, X..... | 7½ | Lonsdale, cambric..... | 13 |
| Clyde..... | 10 | Linwood..... | 9¼ |
| Fairmount, C..... | 7½ | New York Mills..... | 13 |
| Fruit of the Loom, 4-4..... | 10 | Pocasset..... | 9 |
| Fruit of the Loom, 7-8..... | 9 | Plum Island, AA..... | 9 |
| Fruit of Loom cambric..... | 13 | Pride of the West..... | 14 |
| Gilt Edge, AA..... | 7 | Quinnebaug..... | 8½ |
| Hamilton, fancy..... | 9¼ | Wamsutta..... | 13 |
| Hills, 4-4..... | 9½ | Whittinsville, 4-4..... | 8¾ |
| Hills, 7-8..... | 8¾ | Whittinsville, 7-8..... | 7¾ |
| Hope..... | 8½ | Westfield, B..... | 6½ |

CASSIMERES.

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| Camel's Hair..... | 15 | Berlin, fancy..... | 6 |
| Pedestrian..... | 15 | Bissimer, fancy..... | 9 |
| Sedan..... | 15 | Huguenot, fancy..... | 8 |
| Kansas..... | 16½ | Flint, fancy..... | 87½ |
| Allen's Cubans..... | 20 | Chase, fancy..... | 9 |
| | | Uxbridge, fancy..... |

# St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

BY JOSEPH PULITZER.

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TERMS OF THE DAILY.

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| One year, postage paid | $8 00 |
| Six months | 4 00 |
| Three months | 2 00 |
| One month (delivered by carrier) | 65 |
| By the week (delivered by carrier) | 15 |

THE WEEKLY.

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| One year, postage paid | $1 00 |
| Six months, postage paid | 60 |

All business or news letters or telegrams should be addressed:
POST-DISPATCH,
515 and 517 Market street.


BOTH of the gentlemen who figured in the affair at Uniontown, Pa., yesterday, were members of the bar.

THE Senate is determined to be virtuous but it is also determined to show the country how disagreeable virtue may be made.

STRANGE as it may seem, the Cincinnati *Commercial* is talking about the election which is to come off in Ohio next October. We are informed that it is to be an important affair.

HEAR MOST, the Socialist, turned up in Chicago yesterday, and created no more stir than a doodlebug in a wood pasture. And Chicago contains more rampant levelers and Socialistic maniacs than any town in the country.

THERE was a rumor that OSCAR WILDE would sail for England on Saturday, but it seems that the young man didn't think enough of the country to even bestow this Christmas gift. He has actually had his hair cut and there are painful indications that he proposes to take up his permanent abode here.

THE chaste and timely remark of Senator HOAR about the impropriety of using campaign assessments "to buy shotguns to shoot negroes with" was doubtless intended to strengthen the chances of reëlection which now hang trembling in the balance in Massachusetts. One is almost tempted to believe that the country might yet survive even if HOAR were requested to swelter his venom in the obscurity of private life.

POOR old Missouri! During the past twelve months poor old Missouri has reduced her public debt by $650,000, and has got her revenue into such shape that in ten years she will be free of debt. Poor old Missouri would not only be free of debt to-day but would have enough property on hand to pay all the State expenses from its income if it had not been for the dishonesty und imbecility of the party that sold the State's assets for a trifle, and that is now setting up the wail of "Poor old Missouri."

IN spite of the Christmas season the war between the regular exchanges, or Boards of Trade, and the "open Boards of Trade," or bucket-shops, goes merrily on. The offense of the Bucket-shops is that they contribute to the success of crime by making gambling cheap, when the interests of the community demand that gambling should be made expensive by being continued as a monopoly. We scorn the insinuation that members of any regular Merchants' Exchange could be guilty of going down to take a flyer in a bucket shop.

THE secretary of the Longfellow Memorial Association of California writes that he has met the warmest sympathy and the readiest offers of coöperation from all whom he has asked to unite with him in his work. He says: "It was touching to see the tender regard in which the beloved poet's memory was cherished; in a few instances, his loss was felt almost as that of a nearest kin." The Association of California comprises the Governor, the Governor-elect, the Mayor of San Francisco and the Mayor-elect, the Jewish Rabbi, the Roman Catholic and Episcopal Bishops, the President of the University of California, besides a number of prominent literary and professional men and capitalists.

THE Ottoman Empire in Europe, which has been inviting dissolution and deserving death with each day of its infamous and shameful rule, took a long step towards the grave when the news was published that the Sultan, the absolute ruler of millions of European Christians, was a hopeless maniac, the victim of inherited lunacy aggravated by drunkenness and vice. It would be a fitting end to this loathsome Empire to be destroyed in the ruin of such a Sultan, but Great Britain has interests in Europe which can be protected only by the maintenance of this foul blot on modern civilization and Great Britain will see to it that, that no matter how corrupt an imbecile the Sultan may be, he will still be permitted to rob his millions of subjects in Europe and to menace the peace of the world, rather than that his expulsion should permit the growth and strength of a free nation toward the east of the Continent. The only way in which Great Britain consoles herself in her self-appointed task of doing the dirty work of European politics is by occasionally holding up her smeary hands in horror over our indifference to the higher interests of political virtue.

IN threatening Lord DERBY with the hostility of the Irish in America, as one of the elements to be taken into account in the settlement of the Irish question in Ireland, Mr. DAVITT showed a vast and lamentable ignorance of the true meaning of the American sentiment of sympathy for Ireland. Whatever the extent of that sympathy may be, it cannot be utilized by Irish agitators to menace the legal government of Great Britain, and no greater mistake could be committed than to suppose, because all political interests in this country recognize the value of the Irish vote, that that recognition could be carried so far as to influence the action of this country in its foreign relations by a hair's breadth. The mere suggestion that the peace or welfare of the fifty-five millions of people in this country should be imperiled on account of anything that may happen in Ireland is an insult to the intelligence of the United States, and it is hard to understand how even the most excited agitator in Ireland could delude himself with the idea that the United States could be made a cat's-paw of by a little handful of distracted and helpless parties in a foreign country thousands of miles away.

WE print to-day a number of postal card replies to a circular sent to the members of the approaching General Assembly asking their views relative to the submission of a Prohibition amendment to the Constitution. Out of a membership of one hundred and seventy-four we have secured answers from forty in two weeks' time. This shows that there is a reluctance to meet this rather important issue. Of the members who have replied the majority are disposed to give the people a chance to vote on the Prohibition amendment. Unless a very strong lobby influence is brought to bear at Jefferson City this winter it is probable that the Legislature will take the POST-DISPATCH view and submit the amendment to a vote of the people as a means of effectually disposing of it.

## POLICE IMPROVEMENTS.

The Police Commissioners have added a great deal to the attractiveness of life in this city by ornamenting an occasional street lamp with a green cast-iron pepper-box, which is understood to be a police-alarm box and the student of human nature now has frequent occasion to observe a tumultuous procession of small boys and street idlers summoned by the apparition of a gorgeous wagon with padded-leather omnibus seats, and further ornamented by the majestic presence of two or more of the finest police in the world, to emphasize the appearance on the scene of law and authority.

The idea of the pepper-box and of the patrol wagon seems to be that in case a thief or other notorious variet should be found plying his nefarious avocation, the immediate appearance of a sufficient force will paralyze him, and before he has recovered from his surprise the stolen goods will be restored, he will be arrested, tried, convicted and on his way to Jefferson City in company with a deputy marshal at the statutory allowance of ten cents per mile. The only drawback upon this beautiful idea is that it has already cost the city fifty odd thousand dollars for the outfit, and the Commissioners have modestly but firmly called on the Municipal Assembly for a further sum in the shape of an annual appropriation for the maintenance of this new and beautiful feature of city life. Failing this appropriation they will be compelled to sell the chariots and horses and to convert the pepper-boxes to those baser uses which their appearance naturally suggests.

As the city does not happen to possess, at the present time, the sum of fifteen thousand dollars to expend in casting a halo of beauty about the ruggedness of constabulary duty, and as the pepper-boxes and chariots are essential to the happiness of the Police Commissioners, we venture to mention a plan by which the much desired object may be accomplished. This is to save the money which is wanted by getting rid of another ornamental department of police administration and forthwith bouncing the detectives.

The pepper-boxes and patrol wagons are not of much use, but they are highly ornamental, while the detectives are neither useful nor ornamental. Their chief function is to look wise and mysterious when informed that a crime has been committed, but they never by any possibility find out anything worth knowing except when they read the daily papers. By pretending to do work which they do not do they obstruct the cause of order more than they help it, and it is very likely that if they were relegated to their proper functions of plain policemen, they would be more useful than they are now. We do not know that the city can afford the luxury of the patrol service, but we do know that it can afford to dispense with the luxury of the detective service.

## MISGUIDED DEMOCRACY.

The Southern Senators who are opposing civil service reform are not doing anything to prevent the passage of the bill, while they are doing a great deal to prevent the success of their party at the next election, or at any time in the future. Nothing could better illustrate the ineradicable propensity of the Democrats for blundering than to find them at this critical period, at this turning-point in the fortunes of politics, divided among themselves in the face of an united enemy, and with the strength of their party in its strongholds displayed in opposition to the one measure involving a principle from which the party had nothing to fear and everything to hope.

Why should any Senator or any Congressman place himself in opposition to the proposed reform of the civil service either in principle or in practice? Is there any one of them so dull of wit as not to understand that the measure has no danger except for those who oppose it? Is there any one who thinks that his party or himself has anything to gain by opposing the measure? If he has, where does the gain come in, or what loss can be incurred by supporting it?

The only danger, the only possibility of loss to be incurred in connection with this movement is the contempt to be incurred by a party obtuse enough to come forward and to say that it is afraid that a reform in the civil service of the Government will injure its prospects of party success. A party stupid enough to a vow that it would be willing to purge the public service of gross abuses if such purgation would at the same time help its party success, but that it would rather allow the public abuses to continue than to reform them by the sacrifice of its contingent reversion in the plunder is too stupid to hope that it may ever have any chance of sharing in those sweet spoils for which it wantonly degrades itself; and yet this is the attitude in which the Democratic party is placed by the action in the Senate of those misrepresentatives who have shown that they are opposed to civil service reform.

There is no doubt a great deal of contemptuous indifference in the Southern States to such refinement of politics as the examination of candidates for appointive offices and the selection by competition, but no local indifference or even opposition to the idea of civil service reform should have rendered the Southern leaders insensible to the deep and irresistible feeling in favor of reform in other parts of the country. It is the business of a party leader to know what is going on outside of his own district or State, and a member of either house of Congress who has failed to perceive that success may hinge on favoring civil service reform, while failure must result from opposing it, must be singularly deficient in perception.

Among the great masses of the people in the business centers of the country, among the classes who largely control the direction of public opinion, the opinion in favor of civil service reform is almost unanimous. In the critical States, whose votes decide the national issue, in New York and Ohio, in Pennsylvania, Indiana, New Jersey, Illinois and Connecticut, the civil service question is just in this position, that the national party which favors it will carry the State, while the national party which opposes it will get left. He who cannot see this cannot see anything.

No previous experience of the Democratic capacity for blundering could have led us to expect that within a month after the opening of the session had dawned upon a party flushed with the luster of an unparalleled victory won the month before, that party would lose more by its own stupidity than all the advantage of the victory it had gained. Yet it is hardly an exaggeration to say that the attitude of the Democratic party and especially of the Democratic Senators on the civil service reform bill has placed the party further off from any hope of national success to-day than it was the day before the November election.

THERE were two scenes in a New Haven hotel some days ago, in one of which Rev. F. S. HYDE managed to disgrace his calling. His hostility to the stage had led him into ungentlemanly remarks in public about JOHN MCCULLOUGH's company then playing in that city. Mrs. AUGUSTA FOSTER, of MCCULLOUGH's troupe, having taken a seat at the same table where Mr. HYDE was eating, and having left it for a moment, was asked by a waiter to sit at another table, as the reverend gentleman objected to her resuming her seat at the same table with him. MCCULLOUGH entering soon after and learning why the lady was in tears, said to Mr. HYDE in a voice which was heard throughout the dining-room:

"You have taken the liberty to use my name in public in an unwarranted manner. You have gone further, and cast a slur upon a lady member of my company—a lady whose character is above suspicion. Any one who would be guilty of such an act as yours is unworthy of the profession you follow. If it were not for the clothes you wear, and which you so dishoner, I would give you a personal chastisement that you would never forget as long as you live. You are a miserable dog!"

The actor's forbearance will, no doubt, be generally commended by mild people, and the rebuke he administered was probably severe enough for a locality in which white neck-cloths are accorded too many privileges. But out West the preacher who insults a woman has to take his thrashing like any other ruffian.

THE thoughtful student of human life and manners who read in the papers two weeks ago of the successful encounter of Miss WEARING, of Brooklyn, with a burglar, and of the still more remarkable success of LINDA GILBERT in treating a New York burglar to cold chicken pie, must have had an instinctive expectation that the next lady to tackle a burglar would be an Ohio woman, and it was consequently no surprise to any one to read in the special dispatches of the *Globe-Democrat* yesterday that a Homeric encounter with burglars had occurred in Homer township, Licking county, in which the heroine was a Miss PHILLIPS. Heretofore the general method in households infested by burglars has been to send the women down stairs first, the theory being that it would be a mighty mean burglar who would shoot a woman, but we need hardly say that the burglars cannot long remain indifferent to the risks they run at the hands of the gentler but stronger sex, and a few more encounters such as those we have referred to will put an end to the immunity which lovely women have hitherto enjoyed at the hands of the enterprising burglar, and will compel *paterfamilias* to take the van on those frequent occasions when he is awakened by the familiar alarm, "My dear, I am sure there is a burglar in the house."

THE Historical Society made a happy choice when it selected Col. GEORGE E. LEIGHTON for its president. For certain positions some men appear to be fitted by nature, others by acquirements, but in the present instance both qualifications are found in the same person. Col. LEIGHTON possesses much individuality, decision of character, clear-headedness and considerable executive ability, and he is allowed to be an earnest promoter of what he undertakes. Endowed with taste for literary pursuits and what pertains to liberal culture, besides cultivating the general acquaintance with book-learning which becomes an educated gentleman, he has given particular attention to historical studies; and of Western history, especially of the Mississippi Valley previous to the Louisiana purchase, he has acquired scholarly knowledge. No man better than he knows the significance, the capabilities, the value of a well-conducted Historical Society, and the true reason why one society never gets beyond inchoation whereas another prospers and becomes noted among the institutions of the land. A crucial test for the Missouri Historical Society is at hand. The conditions for its present existence have become intolerable and a public reproach. If it does not begin a new life it will certainly retrograde, as all connected with it fully recognize. Too many sympathies cluster around the society to permit retrogression. A new life means progress, and progress means, among other things, a public museum and an institution whose prosperity will be reckoned with the passing years. Col. LEIGHTON's admirable executive and administrative abilities will serve him well in the highly honorable position to which he is called, and which he is in other respects so well qualified to fill.

COL. STEPHENSON has discovered that the cave dwellings of the Pueblo Indians in the cliffs do not date from a prehistoric antiquity, as has been generally supposed, but are only three hundred years old or so. We have a theory that those Indians were people like ourselves, who once inhabited cities like St. Louis, and when the increasing mud in the streets had swallowed up the greater part of the inhabitants, the survivors climbed up on the hillsides and dug holes in the face of the rock to keep out of the reach of Boards of Public Improvements and Street Commissioners.

A POLISH priest at Bay City, Michigan, has had his eyes opened to the range and accuracy of the law of libel, by being called on to pay $250 damages to a parishioner whom he had boldly denounced from the altar as a bad Catholic, warning the congregation not to do business with him. Yet there are probably a thousand clergymen in this country who have denounced BOB INGERSOLL as a bad man, from their pulpits, and we don't believe BOB could recover twenty-five cents damages for libel from a single one of them.

## PERSONALITIES.

—The two richest men in Boston are under 30 years of age.

—Vennor prophesied that Christmas Day would be very cold.

—Ulysses S. Grant, Jr., and wife have sailed for Europe, to be gone two years.

—There is said to be in Boston a great increase of drunkenness among the wives of mechanics and laborers.

—Langtry has not yet claimed that she dismissed Labouchere in anticipation of that little divorce exposure.

—General Farnsworth says of Logan: "He is going to throw Grant overboard and cut loose from all factions."

—Boston Transcript: Now that Mrs. Langtry has lost her "coach" more attention than ever will be paid to her carriage.

—Mrs. Labouchere left this country without securing a divorce. The indications are that Mrs. Langtry will be more successful.

—Boston Post: An exchange says the city of Washington is full of congressmen and thieves. Why this redundancy of expression?

—If Mrs. Woodhull could be induced to return from England she might take Mrs. Labouchere's place as the companion and guide of Mrs. Langtry.

—Hannibal Hamlin says he has come home to stay. He has but few more years to live, and there are still two or three offices which he has not held.

—William Everett has declined to attend the Plymouth celebration because Gen. Butler's name is on the programme. By the way, who is William Everett?

—When Henry James was criticised for believing in the miracles in the New Testament, he replied that he must confess himself "an abject Christian."

—Philadelphia News: A peddler called at a Philadelphia house the other day and asked to see the head of the family. He was referred to the servant girl.

—Mr. John E. Owens, the actor, whose "home" is six miles outside of Baltimore, had a reverse in Arizona mining speculation, but retrieved his losses in another venture.

—St. Louis has received recognition at the hands of the Queen of England. Her Majesty has purchased several teams from the cargo of mules which was sent from this city to Egypt.

—On Wednesday of last week, the wife of James Waltenburgh, of Newcastle, O., ran away with another man, and the following day Waltenburgh's father-in-law died and left him a fortune.

—Glasgow Times: Beware of strangers. You may entertain an angel once in a while, but you will have a cow-pen full of rascals in the meantime, if it is found out that you are keeping a stranger-angel boarding-house.

—John B. Gough has just declared against the Prohibitionists. Prohibition was "this element" referred to when Mr. Gough said: "I am not in favor of putting this element into politics. It does not belong there, I am a moral-suasion-idea man."

—Gath: Men believe whatever they are engaged in to be legitimate, if it is bank-robbing. Generally their wives believe the same. I never knew a man to be stealing from the Government or the Indians but his wife thought he was a noble production.

—In 1880 a fund was raised in Mattoon, Ill., to which Robert T. Lincoln contributed quite liberally, and a shaft twelve feet high now marks the grave of Thomas Lincoln, the father of Abraham Lincoln, in the "Old Farmington" graveyard, about twelve miles southeast of Mattoon.

## OUR MAIL POUCH

### Wants to Invest.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 23, 1882.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Will you please inform me through your paper where I can turn my money into 4 per cent bonds? I have a little money which I don't like to put in bank, and want to put it in some safe place, and at the same time have it available and profitable to me. I am not acquainted with business matters much. By answering you will oblige

A CONSTANT SCUBSCRICER.

[Any reputable banker or broker will undertake to transact your business for you.—ED. P-D.]

### Charity.

From the Philadelphia News.

A Montreal clergyman, in seeking to discover why his church had not been swept and dusted, learned that the woman whose work it was had died of starvation. The incident has cast a gloom over the congregation, as the accumulated ruinous to silks and satins, and it will be very difficult to find another woman willing to work at the same wages.

### Afraid to Speak.

From the Cincinnati Commercial.

There are now seven well defined candidates for the Democratic Speakership of the next House of Representatives, and not one of these dare say he is in favor of a genuine reform of the civil service.

### Expert Testimony.

From the Washington Post.

Secretary Chandler says that there are twelve thousand purchasable votes in New Hampshire. It is needless to inquire how he obtained this suggestive bit of information.

### A Noble Band.

From the Philadelphia Times.

The Pennsylvania branch of the "306" is still represented in Moyamensing and at Washington, but its prospects at Harrisburg are not flattering.

### Let Dorsey Go Seek Him.

From the Boston Herald.

Hadn't the Government better send for Stanley to come home and find ex-Senator Spencer?

### A Straw.

From the Courier-Journal.

The President has a new piano. His reconciliation with Mr. Schurz can not be far off.

## KRING AT THE HOSPITAL.

### The Oldest Occupant of Murderers' Row Removed for Medical Care.

Chas. F. Kring, the murderer of Dora Broemser, will sleep in the City Hospital to-night. The Circuit Attorney this morning consented to his removal from the City Jail, where he has been confined for nearly seven years. For some time past he has been suffering from fainting spells and hemorrhages, and the physicians have reported him to be in a very low condition. The long confinement has had its effect upon him and the man is a mere shadow of what he was when he first became a boarder at the jail. The removal was urged as positively necessary in order to prolong his life.

## RAILROAD NOTES.

Capt. J. B. Wadleigh, soliciting agent of the Gould Southwestern System, at Dallas, came in from Dallas, this morning, to spend a few of the holidays with friends in the city.

C. M. Tivy, formerly private secretary to the general manager of the C. B. & Q., has been appointed assistant superintendent of the K. & St. L., with headquarters at Keokuk.

Mr. John H. Crawford, of the C., B. & Q. division, freight and passenger office at Burlington, is spending Christmas with his brother-in-law, C. G. Lenion, city ticket agent of the C., B. & Q.

The boys in the Cairo Short Line went down to H. S. DePew's house last night and presented their chief, the genial H. S., with an elegant gold-headed cane. Mr. DePew did not allow the party to dissolve without a merry time being had.

All the railroad offices are closed to-day, excepting the ticket offices, which closed at 12 o'clock, and the railroad clerks, who for the past three months have been having a hard tussle, are given an entire holiday. Christmas was never more fully observed in railroad circles than to-day, and the boys are thoroughly happy.

Capt. Wadleigh is one of the best known and popular freight agents in Texas, being known all over Texas and Arkansas, having been agent of the Iron Mountain at Texarkana, and afterwards commercial agent of El Paso. During his long railroad experience he has earned the respect and confidence of his superior officers and is today one of the most reliable and promising railroad men in the South.

## ABOUT TOWN.

THE Beard & Bro. Safe and Lock Company presented each of their workmen with a good fat turkey for Christmas.

THE patrol box on Clark avenue and Main street has been in want of repairs for the last few days, some enterprising hoodlum having stolen the lock. Last night a second visit was paid the box and the telephone torn to pieces and scattered about the street.

AT a regular meeting of Missouri Lodge, No. 227, K. of H., held on the 18th inst., the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year: R. E. Ryan, Dictator; John Bruce, Vice-Dictator; Wm. Nyroth, Assistant Dictator; H. N. Bridges, Chaplain; Thomas Thursby, Guide; John H. Barker, Reporter; James Thursby, Financial Reporter; J. W. Blent, Jr., Guardian; Wm. Brandon, Treasurer; Fred. Eiffart, Sentinel; John G. Parrish, Medical Examiner; Wm. E. Beckman, Trustee; J. W. Black, Reporter to Grand Lodge; J. J. W. Thursby, Alternate to Grand Lodge.

## CARONDELET JOTTINGS.

Dr. Bribach has leased for ten years the People's drug store, at an annual rental of $1,000.

Rev. Dr. Hughey has the second edition in press of one thousand copies of his tract, "The Liquor Traffic."

"Eureka!" was the greeting given by Wm. Halley to his magnificent Christmas present. The present is a handsome black-eyed boy, net weight 10½ pounds. Among the first to send congratulations were Capt. William Grapevine and Lewis F. Walbel, which is evidence that they are not of an envious disposition.

At 7:30 sharp this evening the officers-elect of Branch 42, Order of the Iron Hall, will be installed, Vice-Justice Jacob Huppert will, at the conclusion of the ceremonies, invite all the members present to accompany him to the Merchants' Exchange, where oysters in every style will be served. He states that no one will be admitted to the banquet who is not present at the installation.

### A Curious Bridal Couple.

As odd a looking bride and groom as one ever sees, and who, after the circumstances surrounding them were known, set tongues a-wagging and made laughing contagious, were seen at the Union Depot this morning. It (the couple) consisted of an old man fully seventy years of age, over six feet in height, with flowing gray hair, and carrying on his arm a pair of that kind of saddlebags worn thirty years ago, and a girl just fourteen years old, who in height would reach about to the old man's vest pocket. They are on their wedding tour. They came in from some point in Alabama last night and are bound for some point in Oregon. A passenger on the same train on which they came in last night says that during the entire day they were the center of observation, because of their childlike lovingness and general greenness. The old man is, by profession, a Methodist minister, going to a conference in Oregon, and combines pleasure with business by taking along with him a veritable and living Christmas present.

### Too Late for Dinner.

The Hon. William Morrison is stopping at the Southern, but he would much rather be at his home in Belleville, where he had expected to help in the discussion of the Christmas turkey this afternoon. The O. and M. train which brought him to East St. Louis this morning was over an hour late, and the Congressman arrived there just in time to see the Belleville train pull out. Mr. Morrison says that the Ways and Means Committee are working hard on the tariff bill, but considers it very doubtful whether the measure will be disposed of during the present short term of the House.

## MODJESKA'S CHRISTMAS

### How the Actress Entertained Two Score of Children.

### Santa Claus Made to Order—How the Little Folks Enjoyed Themselves.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, December 25.—Mme. Modjeska, looking very charming in a white cap and apron and a gown of pale blue, stood between two parlors in the Clarendon Hotel yesterday afternoon and said, appealingly, "Where shall I get a Santa Claus?" There was not one of the half dozen gentlemen who heard her who would not have volunteered to be Santa Claus, at whatever sacrifice of dignity if, just as she was making a gesture of despair, she had not seen Mr. Fred. Stinson and pressed him into service, giving him just fifteen minutes, "and not a minute more, mind," in which to make himself an object with white hair, frosty beard and ruddy nose, clad in thick furs. He hurried away and Mme. Modjeska returned to the room in which she was entertaining some forty little guests at a Christmas dinner. The largest were small youngsters in Knickerbockers, and the baby of the party was a little thing with dark eyes and yellow hair, the daughter of a friend of Mme. Modjeska, whom the ladies were passing from one to another and caressing. Invitations had been sent out to about sixty children, but some of them live so far away that they could not think of coming in the cars all the way to New York even for a Christmas dinner and their share in the fruit of a Christmas tree. Some of the children had brought along friends of larger growth, who in many instances sustained the relation of parents to them. Thus young Lionel Barrymore and his little sister Ethel had brought

THEIR FATHER AND MOTHER,

Mr. Maurice Barrymore, of Mme. Modjeska's company, and Mrs. Barrymore. Among the others who were permitted to attend were Miss Maud Milton, Miss Helen Leigh and Miss Clara Ellison, also of Mme. Modjeska's support, the latter being indulged partly because she is sometimes called the "baby of the company." There were also present Mr. Ion Robertson, an English actor and an æsthete, Mr. Sid Howard, of "The Romany Rye" company and a few personal friends of Mme. Modjeska in New York. But these were of very little account for the time being except as contributors to the pleasures of the children. They were dressed with as little regard for formalities as was the hostess, and all were engaged in making themselves useful to the somewhat exacting youngsters. The little girls were dressed in white rich with deep embroidery, and made a charming picture. After the tables had been spread the waiters were permitted to come no farther than the door. Mme. Modjeska and her friends were waiters to the children, and never were servants more attentive. Those to whom playing is an art found this genuine play. Conjecture hesitates at the question as to what would have been the result if those sitting at the tables had been persons of mature growth. They might have eaten on and on, forgetful of everything save that they were so charmingly attended, and become victims of dyspepsia from Christmas eve, 1882, ever afterward, or they might have lost their appetites in the contemplation of things not gastronomic and thus have wounded the pride of the waiters in the things served and in the service. But the children's thoughts were not attracted

FROM THE TABLE

by anything novel in the attendance. They had appetites that required prompt and undivided attention. The bill of fare was prepared under Mme. Modjeska's direction with nice regard for the tastes of her little guests. There was wholesome food for those whom romping had made hungry, and the supply of sweets that came afterwards was tempting and abundant. There was a scampering into the larger room, when Mme Modjeska threw open the doors and said:

"Come, little ones, come and see Santa Claus."

Round eyes looked from under fluffy bangs of hair at the big Christmas tree that stood in the further end of the room, brilliantly lighted up and laden with acceptable trifles. There was for each child some little keepsake, a memento of the Christmas eve when it was the guest of Modjeska, and there were candies and confections in bewildering variety. Santa Claus was even more than could have been expected, considering that he was prepared on such short notice. The children were rather shy of the old fellow till he began to distribute gifts to them, and till Mme. Madjeska, assisting in the work, proved that she was not afraid of him. In the minds of some of the more venturesome ones, who climbed up on his knees and brushed the big whiskers back from his face, arose a vague suspicion that there was some misunderstanding as to his identity, or that Mme. Modjeska had been having Santa Claus for her manager during that large

PART OF THE YEAR

in which the distribution of gifts to children did not occupy his time. The rooms rang with the merry laughter of the children as the gifts were passed around. Then came a play spell, and stories of the holiday time, told in a way to make them worthy of a far more critical hearing, and songs and goodbys. It was early candlelight when her little guests bade Mme. Modjeska goodnight and were taken to their homes closely bundled up in warm wraps.

### Dr. Hamilton's Denial.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, December 25.—Dr. Hamilton writes to the Tribune: "Recovering from a serious illness, I find that a paragraph has been circulating in the newspapers to the effect that the consultations at the bedside of the late President Garfield were disturbed by angry discussions and that I am made responsible for this statement, having never spoken a word which would permit such a construction, and the fact not as stated, but as nearly as possible the opposite. Our discussions over points of difference were sometimes earnest, but never angry or excited; and they were always conducted and terminated in a spirit of mutual concession."

## CITY PERSONALS.

Mr. T. J. McDonough, editor of the Red Bud Courier, Red Bud, Ill., is in town today.

Rev. J. F. Martin, of Joplin, Representative of Jasper county, arrived in the city and is the guest of Mrs. H. Tyler Wilcox, M. D., 1113 Garrison avenue. He will remain a couple of days.

Mr. H. B. Schuler, late cashier and manager of the First National Bank, of Lincoln, Ill., has become largely interested in the Laclede Bank, of this city. Mr. Schuler will take an active part in the management of the bank, and has assumed the position of vice-president. On the 15th prox. the bank will be moved to the fire-proof building corner of Third and Pine streets.

T. A. Tuslee, agent of the Wabash at East St. Louis, was agreeably surprised Saturday afternoon by his employes, who presented him, through the chief clerk, Mr. Theo. Williams, in a neat speech, with an elegant gold watch, chain and locket, appropriately engraved, as a Christmas reminder that his kindness and courtesy to them the past year had not been overlooked, and that his employes were anxious to make some return for the gentlemanly and courteous manner in which he had dispensed the duties of his position towards them all.

TWENTY words for ten cents in the POST-DISPATCH want columns is the most economical advertising ever offered in the West.

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# PROHIBITION.

## An Attempt to Poll the Missouri Assembly.

## A Disposition to Submit a Constitutional Amendment.

### Responses From Forty Members of the Senate and House.

Some two weeks ago the POST-DISPATCH sent sent out a circular to each member-elect of the Thirty-second General Assembly of Missouri asking for a brief statement of views relative to the proposed submission to the people of a Prohibition clause to the Constitution. There are 174 members of the Senate and House, and up to this time responses hove been received from only forty. This indicates a disposition on the part of the average member to either dodge a serious question or await developments. It will be observed that of those who have responded a majority are in favor of the submission of a Prohibition amendment to a vote of people:

### Senate Democrats.

LEBANON, MO., December 15, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

If a greater number of voters of my district petition for the submission of a Prohibition amendment than those who remonstrate against it, I will most certainly vote for it. Very truly, J. W. FARRIS.

CASSVILLE, MO., December 15, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In answer to your communication of recent date, I will say that I will favor submitting the matter you speak of "to the people" and allow them to decide this question.
Respectfully, etc., S. R. BRIDGES.

MOBERLY, MO., December 15, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

If such an amendment be proposed and at that time I shall find there is a very considerable popular demand for it, I shall vote to submit it to the decision of the people at the polls. Respectfully, O. F. ROUSE.

OSBORN, MO., December 16.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Your circular requesting my views as to the Prohibition amendment that will probably come before the Twenty-second General Assembly is at hand. If I am able to be there I shall vote for it. JOSEPH TRUE.

COLUMBIA, MO., December 19.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

In answer to your card, I may say, from the very general manifestation in favor of Prohibition, I shall feel it the duty of those representing the entire people to submit the question of a constitutional amendment in reference to prohibiting the sale and manufacture of spirituous liquors, but would, when the issue was made, vote against the measure. For the past eight years a law has been in existence refusing license to any one to sell spirits within three miles of the State University. It has proven an utter failure. I apprehend a similar result from a prohibitory measure in all the counties of the State, and am fully convinced that the friends of temperance in their efforts to establish a compulsory law will not only lose much they have gained in the past, but will bring upon our State great loss with a humiliating failure. I am, and ever have been the friend of temperance, never using intoxicating liquors myself. I am not, however, without some hope that our people will await the result of experiments now being made in neighboring States, Iowa and Kansas, and spare us what I deem a fruitless effort, much trouble and expense. J. L. STEPHENS.

MILAN, MO., December 18.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I inclose with this card a printed copy of my letter to my constituents during my candidacy for the Senate, giving my position. Do'nt see that I can mend them, hence I send them as my answer to your kind request, so politely made. Make any use of that you see fit that would be legitimate.
W. HALLIBURTON.

[In the letter referred to Senator Halliburton says that he will vote for a Prohibition amendment if his constituents so desire. —ED. P.-D.]

### House—Democrats.

LOGAN CREEK, December 23.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I would say that I am opposed to submitting an amendment to the Constitution to prohibit the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors in the State.
HENDERSON CHITWOOD.

CAIRO, MO., December 20.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Your letter was duly received and contents noted. If it is the wish of the citizens of my county to have the Prohibition question submitted to them, I of course will vote for it whatever my individual opinion may be in regard to the matter. Very respectfully, W. WRIGHT.

STOCKTON, December 18.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I am in favor of submitting the amendment to a vote of the people. Respectfully, M. BRADLEY.

PRINCETON, MO., December 18, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I am squarely in favor of submitting to the people the Prohibition clause, and will vote for the same should it come before the General Assembly at the present term.
Yours truly, JOSEPH P. BAILEY.

LA PLATA, MO., December 18, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I expect instructions from my constituents relative to the submission of the question of Prohibition to the people of this State, and I will obey instructions. I am not a Prohibitionist. Yours truly, W. S. SEARS.

STURGEON, BOONE CO., MO., December 12, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

It is strictly in accordance with Democratic principles to be willing to be governed by a majority hence I see no good reason why I should be opposed to submitting the proposed prohibitory amendment to the people, although, as a citizen, I would vote against it. If the law, as proposed, would prohibit, I would be heartily in favor of it. Viewing it as I do, as a citizen, I will oppose it. Obediently, GEO. W. BATTENTON.

BETHANY, MO., December 16, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Your inquiry received, and in answer will say that I think the majority of the people in Harrison county are in favor of the Prohibition amendment, and I shall vote for its submission if I have the opportunity.
Yours truly, GEO. BURRIS.

SALEM, MO., December 16, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I received yours to-day. I am opposed to Prohibition. I am opposed to a submission of the question to the people; and I shall vote against it unless instructed to the contrary by the 1,001 voters of Dent county. We have about 2,000 voters in the county. This is probable, as about four-fifths of the voters of this county are opposed to Prohibition. My vote shall never deprive a man the pleasure of a mint julep or the luxury of a glass of foaming beer. Prohibition is a humbug. Drunkenness is a great evil, but Prohibition will make the evil greater. We cannot legislate virtue into the world. The submission of the question would foment strife, discord, hatred, etc., promote fanaticism, and be voted down by at least 100,000 votes. E. T. WINGO.

DIXON, MO., December 18, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

In reference to the proposed Prohibition amendment to the Constitution, I am inclined to reserve my decision until I can see what form the movement will take on. As a party measure I am opposed to it. If the people of the State, irrespective of party, demand a vote on the measure, they are certainly entitled to it.
Respectfully yours, W. R. WILSON.
1601 MARKET STREET.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I do not consider that Prohibition is the proper remedy for intemperance. I would favor any movement that would tend to lessen this evil, but Prohibition does not fill the bill. I can not vote for submitting it to the people, as I would be stultifying myself. When I favor an amendment to the Constitution in Jefferson City I will support it at the polls in St. Louis. "Consistency, thou art a jewel." Yours,
JO. N. JUDGE,

ARROW ROCK, MO., December 15, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I shall vote against submission unless positively instructed to the contrary. Am absolutely opposed to Prohibition.
V. MARMADUKE.

HUNNEWELL, MO., December 18, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I cannot define my position on the Prohibition question on a postal card. While I am in sympathy with the cause of temperance I am opposed to submission unless a majority of the people of the State demand it. To submit the question and have it defeated would set the cause back. However, I will obey the instructions of a majority of my constituents, by which I mean a majority of the voters of Shelby county, without regard to party. W. F. BLACKBURN.

SELIGMAN, MO., December 15, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Yours of 14th inst. received. In reply would say: Two years ago I favored the "Amendment" and expect to do so again.
Very respectfully, ISAAC STAPLETON.

FREDERICKTOWN, December 18, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

In answer to your questions in regard to my views on Prohibition, I have this to say: That no friend of a free government can object to a submission of the question to the people when there is a reasonable demand for such submission. The people are the source of all power; they make and unmake constitutions. As to Prohibition, I'm opposed to it. It is not a Bible doctrine; temperance must come by moral suasion; we must teach the youth of the land to occupy that happy medium between the two extremes of Prohibition and drunkenness. We ourselves must vote for sober men for Congress, Circuit Judges and legislators, before we can make our little boys believe it is a crime to be a drunkard. Think, in the main, your paper occupies the right position. Yours truly,
JOSIAH M. ANTHONY.

ST. LOUIS, December 16, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I shall vote against a Prohibition amendment. It would infringe upon the personal liberty of the citizens, without beneficial results to the public. It would depreciate property, check immigration, increase drunkenness, foster hypocrisy. Temperance is a question of morals, to be influenced by suasion instead of statutes.
GEO. W. HALL.

WELLSVILLE, MO., December 16, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

In reply will say that I am undecided as to how I will vote. I will endeavor to represent my people, and I find that they are divided.
Yours, etc.,
SOL HUGHLETT.

CHARLESTON, MO., December 15, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I would vote to submit a proposed amendment to the people, and am in favor of allowing even a minority to express themselves at the ballot-box. If a majority are in favor of it I am content. This Prohibition movement is an immense bull, and cannot be taken by the horns and managed at once. I am not in favor of Missouri passing such laws while others on her borders have none. It is useless to put any law on our statute books that can not be enforced. The people must be in sympathy with our officers to enforce any law. In my judgment Congress is the only power that can pass and enforce a prohibitory law. They have the men and money to do it. Anything short of a law governing all the States alike will fail. I am in favor of high tax on whisky and saloons. All who sell it should pay a high license. Never use it myself. Please send me your paper containing the views of the different members.
Yours respectfully,
L. W. DANFORTH.

LA GRANGE, MO., December 16, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

If petitioned to vote for the submission of a Prohibition amendment I shall do so. The matter ought to be disposed of, and I consider it to be to the interest of brewers, distillers and dealers, as well as the public, that the amendment be voted upon—the sooner the better. Yours truly,
R. M. WALLACE.

STEELEVILLE, MO., December 16.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Permit me to say I am a Democrat, and if the people desire the proposed amendment submitted I will vote to submit it. If the Democratic party of this State refuse to do this it won't be long before some other party will. WM. M. ROBINSON.

MARYVILLE, MO., December 12.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I am opposed to submitting the proposition, but in my canvass I promised to vote on this proposition as a majority of my constituents directed. This I shall do, but I am satisfied a large majority of my district are opposed to it, so that I may pretty safely be put down as voting against submitting a constitutional amendment prohibiting the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors.
A. P. MOREHOUSE.

BROWNSVILLE, MO., December 18.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

While I am not entirely satisfied that the passage of the Prohibition act will prohibit, yet I think favorably of any measure tending to weaken the grip that King Alcohol holds on this people. Yours,
F. H. BRADFORD.

APPLETON CITY, MO., December 18.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

You say you are desirous of obtaining the views of the members-elect to the General Assembly on Prohibition. The submission of constitutional amendments is the right way, and the only right way to ascertain the will of the people in this matter.
Yours truly, M. B. STRICKLAND.

MT. VERNON, MO., December 20, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Capt. E. P. Linzee is not at home, but it is understood that he is in favor of submitting the amendment to the people.
W. R. HARVEY.

MORLEY, MO., December 20, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

The question has not been agitated with our people, and cannot say whether I will or not. ISAAC HUNTER.

BURK, MO., December 20, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I never have voted for any measure that is calculated in its nature to strike at the liberties of the American people. I do not think the State of Missouri is ready for Prohibition; nor do I expect to live to see the day when it will be ready for it. Consequently I shall vote against it. Yours with respect,
WILLIAM HOWARD.

### House—Republican.

CARTHAGE, MO., December 18.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I was not elected on a temperance platform. The temperance question was not an issue in my county, and I expect to represent my constituents as I think I understand them.
Yours respectfully,
J. B. SCHOOLER.

EMPIRE PRAIRIE, MO., December 18.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Your circular duly received, and in answer will say I am not a Prohibitionist, but I am decidedly in favor of submitting the question to a vote of the people, and shall so vote for to submit the question to the people. I am always willing to trust the people.
Yours respectfully,
D. BONHAM.

HUMANSVILLE, MO., December 21.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I will vote for the submission to the people a prohibition clause to the Constitution.
Respectfully yours,
A. F. RENFROW.

BAY, MO., December 16, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Believing it contrary to the sense of my constituency, my vote will be No, first, last and all the time.
Yours respectfully,
W. F. LANGENBURG.

HAMILTON, MO., December 18, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Yours dated December 1882 at hand. In reply will say, as far as possible I will be governed by my constituents. Otherwise, yes. Respectfully,
JEFF. VAN NOTE.

GALENA, MO., December 16, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I am strictly temperate. As for the prohibition bill; if it comes up to suit me I will support it. I am opposed to a license law. I am opposed to any law that will make men jump over the fence to steal and violate the same. Respectfully,
R. C. CRUME.

HOLSTEIN, MO., December 19, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I state clearly that I will not vote to submit the proposed amendment to the people but I want to kill it as dead as I can in the house.
Truly,
ADOLPHUS MUNICH.

### Greenback Democrats.

EAST LYNNE, December 19, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I shall unhesitatingly vote to submit the proposed prohibitory amendment to the Constitution to the people for their adoption or rejection. "All good governments derive their power from the consent of the governed," and to delay or obstruct an expression of sentiment at the polls, when desired by a respectable portion of citizens upon that or any other question, is anti-democratic, anti-republican, and will always be condemned by the lovers of free government. To refuse the people the right to vote on that question would be to prevent an expression at the polls of public sentiment.
Respectfully,
JOHN RAWLINS.

MARYVILLE, MO., December 24, 1882.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Your card received and mislaid. I will vote for the submission of the proposed prohibitory amendment.
Yours respectfully,
L. D. COOK.

SYDNEY SMITH being ill, his physician advised him to "take a walk upon an empty stomach." "Upon whose?" asked Sydney. Still better *steps* to take would be the purchase of Dr. R. V. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery" and "Pleasant Purgative Pellets," which are especially valuable to those those who are obliged to lead sedentary lives, or are afflicted with any chronic disease of the stomach or bowels. By druggists.

**ROLLER SKATING — CHRISTMAS CARNIVAL.**

**Natatorium Skating Rink, open on Christmas from 10:30 to 12:30 a. m. Matinee 2:30 to 4:30 and from 8 to 10:30 p. m.**

### Bodies in the Morgue.

The Superintendent of the Morgue to-day reports the following bodies in the Morgue:

Richard Hirschoff, who died at the City Dispensary December 20.

Henry Crawshaw, who died at No. 411 South Fourth street without medical attendance, December 21.

John Rafferty, the burglar who was fatally shot by Private Watchman O'Connell and died at the City Hospital.

Margaret Timothy, who was burned to death at 930 Collins street.

CALL EARLY.

**New Year Calling Cards.**

We have a full line of very fine designs.
E. JACCARD JEWELRY COMPANY,
Fifth and Olive streets.

### Coroner's Inquest.

To-day the Coroner held an inquest on the body of Margaret Timothy, who was burned to death yesterday at 930 Collins street. It developed from the evidence that the woman was under the influence of drink and took fire from a burning piece of wood which dropped from the fire. A verdict of accidental death was rendered.

**Our Citizens Desire No Notoriety, but are Always Ready to Proclaim the Truth.**

Mrs. Geo. Dawley, of 76 Knight street, Providence, R. I., relates to our reporter her experience with the wonderfulcurative properties of what is destined soon to be the standard and leading specific af the whole wide world for kidney and liver diseases, etc. Mrs. D. says:

"Early last spring I was severely afflicted with torpidity of the kidneys and enlargement of the liver, and the kidney disease came upon me so fast and suddenly that before I was scarcely aware of the cause of trouble I became badly bloated, and my body and limbs very much swollen, so that it was with great difficulty and severe pain that I was able to walk any. I became dreadfully troubled by being short-breathed so that even a slight exertion or a little exercise would tire me almost to exhaustion, and I was so distressed when I retired nights that I could not sleep, and was very restless. One of my limbs, especially, had a very severe nervous pain, which always seemed to be more severe at night than at any other time, and would frequently ache so sharply as to arouse me from sleep. I was very nervous and uncomfortable all the time, and was being doctored and taking all kinds of medicine for this complaint and that and the other, but all to no good purpose, until, at about the time when I was tired out and somewhat disgusted and almost discouraged with medicines and doctors, a relative and highly esteemed friend persuaded me to try Hunt's Remedy. I began to take it a few days ago, and am happily disappointed by the result, for before I had used a bottle of it I began to feel relieved, and soon commenced to sleep splendidly; the severe nervous pains in my limb, which I had to handle so tenderly, do not appear any more, my headache and backache have disappeared. I fee better every way, and rest well all night. The swelling has disappeared from my body and limbs. I am now able to do my housework comfortably and easily Hunt's Remedy has certainly done wonders for me.
MRS. GEO. DAWLEY."

**Safe and Reliable.**

A. W. Brown, M. D., of Providence R. I., says: "I have used HUNT'S REMEDY in my practice for the past sixteen years, and cheerfully recommend it as being a safe and reliable remedy."

Hunt's Remedy is purely a vegetable compound, scientifically prepared by a first-class registered Pharmacist, and will surely cure all diseases of the kidneys, bladder, liver and urinary organs.—COM.

☞ With Diamond Dyes any lady can get as good results as the best practical dyer. Every dye warranted true to name and sample.

# SANTA CLAUS

## Returns Thanks and Wishes You

# A MERRY CHRISTMAS

**The response made to my Holiday Manifesto in last Sunday's papers to visit the Orphan Homes and Asylums in person, and the Mission Sunday-Schools by proxy, has met with a hearty recognition, and all of the Institutions who have sent in their lists have been remembered.**

**Every day last week wagons have been leaving my headquarters at FAMOUS loaded with supplies.**

**On TUESDAY MORNING, December 26, at 9 o'clock, I will start from the corner of Fifth and Morgan in my coach of state, and, with my supply wagon following, take up the line of march for the Orphan Homes named below. I will visit each one in turn, according to the list. So LOOK OUT FOR ME some time between 9 a. m. and 6 p. m.**

**As many of the Mission Sunday-schools failed to respond to my Holiday Invitation, and did not send in the name, location, etc., according to the time specified, December 15, I have been compelled, with much regret, to place them on the Too-late List, as up to Saturday evening late I have been hurried, even with a large corps of employes, to fill the Christmas packages in time to keep my engagements with the Orphan Homes and Asylums this week.**

**I once more give my line of march and add the names of the Mission Sunday-schools who have extended a welcome to Santa Claus by proxy.**

**Orphan Homes and Asylums, look out for me on the dates specified below, any time between 9 a. m. and 6 p. m.**

# I AM COMING

Tuesday, December 26:
St. Philomena's Orphan Asylum, Clark and Summit avenues. 75 Christmas Bags.
Methodist Orphans' Home, 3533 Laclede avenue. 44 Christmas Bags.
Episcopal Orphans' Home, Grand and Lafayette avenues. 75 Christmas Bags.
Girls' Industrial Home, 718 North Nineteenth street. 60 Christmas Bags.
Children's Hospital, Franklin and Ewing avenues. 20 Christmas Bags.
Wednesday, December 27:
St. Mary's Female Orphan Asylum, Tenth and Biddle streets. 100 Christmas Bags.
St. Ann's Infant Asylum, Tenth and O'Fallon streets. 50 Christmas Bags.
St. Joseph's Male Orphan Asylum, Fifteenth street and Clark avenue. 184 Christmas Bags.
St. John's Kindergarten, Sixteenth and Walnut streets. 45 Christmas Bags.
Glencoe Protectorate, care St. Joseph's Asylum, Fifteenth street and Clark avenue. 60 Christmas Bags.
Thursday, December 28:
St. Bridget's Deaf and Dumb Asylum, Lucas avenue and Beaumont. 100 Christmas Bags.
St. Vincent's German Orphan Asylum, Twentieth street, between O'Fallon street and Cass avenue. 170 Christmas Bags.
German Protestant Orphans' Home, Natural Bridge road and White avenue. 64 Christmas Bags.
Lutheran Orphans' Home, Franklin avenue and Hutchinson street. 55 Christmas Bags.
Friday, December 29:
German Protestant Orphans' Home, St. Charles Rock road. 230 Christmas Bags.

### List of Mission Sunday-Schools Receiving Santa Claus by Proxy:

Chouteau Avenue Mission Sunday-school.
Trinity M. E. Church Sunday-school, Tenth and North Market streets.
Water Tower M. E. Church Sunday-school.
Hyde Park Mission Sunday-school.
Sturgeon Market Mission Sunday-school.
South Presbyterian Church Sunday-school.
St. Boniface School Sisters of Christian Charity, Carondelet, Mo.
Mission Free School, southwest corner Ninth and Wash streets.
Central Union Mission Sunday-school, Eleventh and Locust streets.
Cottage M. E. Mission Sunday-school.
German Evangelical Sunday-school, Carondelet.
Biddle Market Mission Sunday-school.
Hope Mission Sunday-school, South St. Louis.
St. Mark Mission Sunday-school, Nineteenth and Morgan streets.
Zion Mission Sunday-school, West Twentieth and Benton streets.
Fair Ground Mission Sunday-school.
Soulard Market Mission Sunday-school.
Good Shepherd Sunday-school, Lynch and Pestalozzi streets.
High Street Congregational Sunday-school, Twenty-third and Clark avenue.
Walnut Street Mission Sunday-school, Sixteenth and Walnut.
Little Pilgrims' Sunday-school, Henrietta street.
Lucas Mission Sunday-school, Scott and Jefferson avenue.
Kossuth Avenue Mission Sunday-school.
St. Louis Bethel Sunday-school.
Flower Mission.
St. Marcus Mission Sunday-school, Jackson and Soulard.
Y. M. C. A. Mission Sunday-school, Eighth and Walnut.
O'Fallon Mission Sunday-school.
Cheltenham Congregational Mission Sunday-school.
Park Avenue Baptist Mission Sunday-school.
Evangelical Lutheran Orphans' Mission.
St. Luke's M. E. Mission.
Goode Avenue Mission.
Sisters Good Shepherd Mission.
Sisters of Mercy.
Church of the Holy Name.
German Presbyterian Mission.
Advent Mission.
Mission School.
Carondelet Mission.
Eighth Street Colored Baptist Mission.

A few that were too late for full supplies, but whom I have remembered to the best of my ability: City Mission, Elleardville Mission, Memorial Tabernacle Sunday-school, Chestnut Street Mission, Carondelet Avenue Mission, Church of Good Samaritan Sunday-school, St. Mary's Infirmary, St. James Episcopal Sunday-school.

**To give you some idea of how busy I have been getting ready for you, I will tell you that last week I prepared 15,000 Christmas Bags, containing of Nuts, Candies, Cakes, Apples and Raisins 19,695 pounds, or over NINE TONS AND A HALF.**

**I say in conclusion to my faithful subjects and friends, the little Boys and Girls of St. Louis, that I feel grateful for the welcome extended me, and will remember with kind feelings the many thousand bright, happy little faces that have daily greeted me for the past two weeks in my grotto at FAMOUS. I will say in parting with you that my happiness in seeing you this year can only be measured by the joy with which I will greet you when I come again.**

**With many kind wishes, your friend**

# SANTA CLAUS.


AMUSEMENTS.

PEOPLE'S THEATER.
Hundreds Turned Away!
Secure Your Seats or Stand Up!
Xmas Matinee To-Day at 2.
1,500 Presents Given Away!
Usual Matinees Wednesday and Saturday. Every Evening this Week,
MY SWEETHEART.
LITTLE MINNIE PALMER
John R. Rogers' Comedy Company, E. E. Graham and T. J. Hawkins.
Sunday, Dec. 31—"Squatter Sovereignty."

POPE'S. Matinee To-Day at 2. Prices, 25c, 50c and 75c. To-night and the week,
OLIVER DOUD BYRON!
IN
BEN McCULLOUGH.
Five thousand presents given away to-day. SANTA CLAUS in person—a present to every lady and child.
January 1—Madison Square Company in THE PROFESSOR.

OLYMPIC THEATER.
CHRISTMAS WEEK!
MR. JOSEPH JEFFERSON
AND HIS COMEDY COMPANY.
Two Grand Performances Christmas Day.
MATINEE AT 2 P. M.
RIP VAN WINKLE
Evening at 8, also Tuesday Evening and Wednesday Matinee,
THE RIVALS.
Wednesday, Thursday and Friday Evenings,
THE POOR GENTLEMAN,
With the following great cast:

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| OLLAPOD | JOSEPH JEFFERSON |
| Lucretia MacTab | Mrs. John Drew |
| Sir Robert Bramble | Frederic Robinson |
| Emily Worthington | Miss Rose Wood |
| Lieut. Worthington | L. R. Shewell |
| Frederick Bramble | R. T. Ringgold |
| Humphrey Dobbins | Charles Waverly |
| Corporal Foss | Samuel Hemple |
| Sir Charles Cropland | R. F. Taylor |
| Game-keeper | T. Jefferson |

Evening and Saturday Matinee,
Mr. Jos. Jefferson as Rip Van Winkle.
Sunday, December 31—Jas. A. Herne's "Hearts of Oak."

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.
"MERRY CHRISTMAS." Two performances today. Afternoon at 2 and evening at 8. Grand Gift Matinee. Each and every person attending will receive a present. Brooks and Dickson's grand production of Colville's Romantic and Spectacular Drama,
THE WORLD,
With its magnificent scenic effects, including the WONDERFUL RAFT SCENE!
THE LUNATIC ASYLUM!
THE PASSENGER ELEVATOR
January 1—ESMERALDA.

Yesterday was the Banner Day at the
ST. LOUIS DIME MUSEUM.
As near as we can learn from that Treasurer of ours there were close to 10,000 paid admissions. According to promise, the Doctor dismembered men and restored them. To-day we will present the CONCLAVE OF BEAUTY. You are expected. You KNOW it's nice to be looked for.

MASONIC HALL.
The most commodious, convenient and accessible public hall in the city for balls, public assemblies, festivals, etc.,
FOR RENT
by day or night. Well lighted and heated. Apply to
E. G. OSEAS,
Real Estate Agent,
207 N. 7th st.

PARK HALL DANCING SCHOOL.
SECOND term of Mr. Kaupl's school will commence Monday, December 18. Wednesday, 20th, at 3:30 p. m., for ladies, misses and masters.
☞ Gentlemen and ladies' class same nights at 7:30.


### DIED.

APPLEGATE—On Sunday afternoon, December 24, 1882, at the residence of her uncle, Jas. L. Applegate, 2129 Eugenia st., ANNIE E., daughter of W. G. Applegate, of Keytesville, Mo.

The remains will be taken to Keytesville, Mo., where they will be interred on Tuesday afternoon December 26, 1882.

KILLORAN—December 24, 1882, Mrs. MARGARET KILLORAN, aged 80 years.

Her funeral will take place from her late residence, rear of 608 Morgan street, Tuesday, 26th, at 2 o'clock p. m., to St. Xavier's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

KNOTT—December 24, at half-past 4 o'clock p. m. KITTIE C., eldest daughter of Mary C. and Z. T. Knott, Jr., aged 9 years and 26 days.

Due notice will be given of the funeral.

KOCH—Sunday, December 24, 1 a. m., THEO. KOCH, aged 52 years and 10 months.

Funeral will take place Tuesday, December 26, from residence, No. 1301 North Market street, at 1:30 p. m., thence to Bellefontaine Cemetery.

REINECKE—Mrs. E. REINECKE, wife of Conrad Reinecke, at Belleville, Ill., on Saturday, December 23, at 10 p. m.

Funeral from residence, Belleville, Ill., Tuesday, December 26, at 1 p. m. Friends of the family are cordially invited to attend.

GANSMAN—On Monday, at 3:30 o'clock, a. m., Alfred, son of Wm. and Lizzie Gansman, aged 4 years and 6 months.

The funeral will take place December 26, at 1 p. m., from the family residence, No. 1818 Wash street. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

RICE—Departed this life Sunday, December 24, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., after a long and painful illness, EMMA, beloved daughter of Emeline and George R. Rice (deceased), aged 23 years and 8 months.

Funeral will take place from family residence, 1131 Benton street, Tuesday, December 26, at 2 o'clock p. m. Friends of the family invited.

SCHOTT—Saturday, December 23, after a short illness, at the age of 7 years and 4 months, ROSA VIOLA SCHOTT, beloved daughter of August and Rosa Schott.

Funeral will take place from family residence, No. 2112 Warren street, Tuesday, December 26, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Greenburg, Pa., papers please copy.

KRIEG—Sunday evening, at 11 o'clock, JOHN, son of Michael and Katharina Krieg, aged 24 years.

Funeral Tuesday, at 2 p. m., from residence of his father, 3041 Carondelet av. Friends invited to attend.


TWENTY WORDS
FOR
TEN CENTS
IN OUR
WANT COLUMNS.

DONK BROS. & CO.
GENERAL OFFICE, 522 OLIVE ST.,
Operators and Dealers in
ANTHRACITE AND BITUMINOUS
COAL!
Sole Miners of the Celebrated
WHITE OAK AND BEAUCOUP
COAL.

### LODGE NOTICES.

COSMOS LODGE, No. 202, A. F. & A. M.—Stated meeting this Monday, at 7:30 p. m. Visitors fraternally invited. EDEN REED, W. M. 3
E. Sweeney, Secretary. m23

### TELEPHONE OFFICES ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH.

All classes of "Want Advertisements" will be received for the POST-DISPATCH at the following places and charged for at the same rate as if left at the main office (twenty words for *ten cents*, when not of a business nature). Each branch office is provided with telephone connection with the main office. All wants handed in before 12 o'clock (mid day) will be telephoned at once to this office and appear in the issue of the same afternoon. Orders for the delivery of the paper, by carrier, at 15 cents a week, also received.

E. Gessler, Pharmacist, St. Ange and Park aves.
C. K. Jones & Co., Druggists, 1400 Garrison ave.
Otto D'Amour, Druggist, Broadway and Chambers street.
John W. O'Brien, Druggist, 1727 Cass avenue.
J. W. Tomfohrde, Pharmacist, 18th and Benton sts.
Wm. R. Grant, Druggist, 2242 Olive street.
H. F. A. Spilker, Druggist, 1800 Chouteau ave.
J. M. Good, Druggist, 2248 Olive street.
Geo. Weinsberg, Apothecary, Marion and Menard streets.
F. Bum, Druggist, 2858 Clark avenue.
Thos. S. Glenn, Druggist, 2338 Washington ave.
A. Seerveyl, 2746 Morgan street.
Adolph Pfeiffer, Druggist, Broadway and Salisbury streets.
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Editorial Rooms . . . . . 301.

### PERSONAL.

*Purely "Personal" advertisements are charged for at the rate of ten cents for twenty words. Matter for insertion under this head can be sent through the mails.*

PERSONAL—A lady desires the acquaintance of a gentleman who can give her some assistance; the comforts of a home given in return. Ad. N. 93, this office.

PERSONAL—Any information concerning the whereabouts of George H. Westing, jr., who left his home four years ago, will be thankfully received by his father. Ad. S. 59, this office. m

PERSONAL—A gentleman of 30, single, who is weary of hotel living, desires a home with a respectable young widow who would appreciate a real liberal friend. Ad. Y 71, this office. m

PERSONAL—Two gentlemen of about twenty-six and thirty desire to form the acquaintance of two refined young ladies who are also fond of attending places of amusement. Ad. T. 4, this office.

PERSONAL—A quiet gent wishes the acquaintance of an entertaining lady, one that would appreciate a theater and other amusements. Ad. T. 93, this office. 13

PERSONAL—If blonde lady, carrying red hand-bag, who left Olive st. cars at 24th st. m56 6:30 o'clock Saturday evening and noticed gentleman sitting opposite, wearing silk hat, will address, making engagement, she will find a pleasant and appreciative acquaintance. Address S. 11, this office. 11

PERSONAL—Incognito: Letter in office of Post Dispatch for you. T. 81

### PERSONAL SUNDRIES.

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CALIFORNIA ports, sherries, Angelica and brandies retailed at wholesale prices at Bieyer's, 8th and Market. 74

HOLIDAY PRESENTS
At wholesale prices, by H. Frost, manufacturer of meerschaum and amber goods, 221 Market st.

HORSE COVERS, HEAVY DUCK OILED. Carter covers and canopies for hire. Thos. Morrison, No. 110 Pine street.

OUR family supply depot for fine wines, whiskies and brandies is the most complete west of New York, prices strictly wholesale. The Bieyer Distilling Co., 8th and Market. 74

PERSONAL—Highest cash price paid for cast-off clothing. Send note to J. Lampert, corner 6th and Morgan sts. 74

PERSONAL—"Parts of the human body enlarged, developed and strengthened," etc., is an interesting advertisement long run in our paper. In reply to inquiries we will say that there is no evidence of humbug about this. On the contrary, the advertisers are very highly indorsed. Interested persons may get sealed circulars giving all particulars by addressing Erie Medical Co., P. O. Box 518, Buffalo, N. Y.—(Toledo Evening Bee.

PIANOS—Wheelock pianos are the best, they last a lifetime; for sale on easy payments at H. Koerber's, 1163 Olive st. 74

PARLOR CLOCKS
On Time Payments!
Goods delivered on first payment. Pictures, Mirrors and Albums same terms. Fred. H. Ingalls, 1007 Olive st.

SILVER PLATED WARE
E. M WADSWORTH & CO.,
MANUFACTURERS.
Lowest prices in the city. Salesroom, 612 Olive. 74

TO THE PUBLIC.
CHRISTMAS IS COMING!
Read this and don't forget the place:
Gold and silver kisses only 50c a lb.
Snapping kisses, 50c a lb.
Butterfly kisses, 50c a lb.
Tinsel paper kisses, 50c a lb.
Cossacks, 40c a dozen.
Best Paraffine candles, 40c a lb.
Finest French candles, 3 lbs for $1.
Hinart's celebrated home-made, 4 lbs for $1.
American mixed candies, 5 lbs for $1.
Superfine broken mixture, 5 lbs for $1.
The largest stock of sugar toys, tree ornaments, and fancy figures at below cost price at HINART'S, Franklin avenue, between 4th and 5th next door to Crawford's. 74

USEFUL Christmas presents at Simmons Hardware Co.

### BUSINESS WANTED.

POSITION wanted to travel in Texas; groceries, cigars or liquors; best of references. Ad. Y. 72, this office. 13

### BUSINESS FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE—A route on the Post-Dispatch in East St. Louis. Apply to Jas. M. Johnston, carriers' room, bet. 2 and 3 p. m. 5

FOR SALE—The Alma wood and coal yard, or horses, wagons, scales, etc.; sold separately. Apply at corner 11th and Chambers sts. m4

FOR SALE—One of the best millinery and notion stores in Springfield, Mo. Apply to J. B. Rosenthal & Co., 418 Washington av. 4

GREAT business chance—a retail clothing business at Chester, Ill. Owner going into the job bing business. Can prove it profitable. Ad. Y. 32, this office. 4

FOR SALE—A good paying ladies' hair business, on account of sickness; low rent; price $300. Address S. 13, this office. 24

LATEST STYLES. FASHIONABLE
BOOT AND SHOE MAKER.
724 Olive st

### FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

*All advertisements can be sent through Post-Dispatch Telephone Offices. See list at the head of paper.*

SILVER-Plated Ware very cheap at Simmons Hardware Co.

1110 OLIVE ST.—For rent; furniture for sale; complete bed-room sets $18 and $25; bedding new; large home-made comforts $1 10; carpets cheap. m25

$5,000 SCHOOL SHOES at 50c on the dollar. 1628 Broadway and 1131 N. 8th. Wm. Ogle.

BLACK and tan and terrier dogs, also Maltese cats at E. Kaub & Co.'s bird store, 417 Walnut st. 5

FOR SALE—Cheap, an $80 Tieman surgical case and a $25 electric battery; all as good as new. Inquire at 910 Wash st. m3

FOR SALE—200 cords good seasoned oak and hickory wood. Ad. O. 24, this office. m8

FOR SALE—20 packages fresh roll butter; 30 barrels pecan, hickory and walnuts; 50 dozen pairs men's wool socks, country knit. F. C. Taylor & Co., commission merchants, 116 Pine st. 5

FOR SALE—A No. 2 Wheeler & Wilson and a family Home; both in good order and complete; price $10 each. Address S. 96, this office. 13

FOR SALE—Rendering tank complete, doing a fair business. For particulars address J. Failon, Alton Junction. 13

SAFE AND VAULT DOOR cheap at
L. BARGMANN'S,
17 and 17 N. 3d st.

USEFUL Christmas presents at Simmons Hardware Co.

### PROPERTY OUT OF CITY FOR SALE

*All advertisements can be sent through Post-Dispatch Telephone Offices. See list at the head of paper.*

FOR SALE—A farm of 226 acres in Monteau county, Mo.; brick house 8 rooms, bank barn, cattle barn, 2 orchards, living water, hedge fences; to be sold on liberal terms; on Missouri Pacific Railroad. Address M. A. E., 2739 Morgan st. 6

WANTED—To trade 160 acres of land in Montgomery, Kas., for a pair of mules, harness and wagon, or good piano. Ad. J. K., Alton Junction. 16

### CITY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

*All advertisements can be sent through Post-Dispatch Telephone Offices. See list at the head of paper.*

FOR SALE—Lot on Pine st., between 22d and 23d; 22x 117 feet; good bargain. Ap. at 1124 N. 24th st

### HORSES AND VEHICLES.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—One ice wagon with pole and shafts. Inquire at 1813 Lucas av. f42

FOR SALE—Lot of new and second-hand first-class buggies, phætons, spring wagons and harness to be sold before January. Gubbins, 160 S. 3d st. 12

FOR SALE—Side bar Brewster top buggy, in first-class order; can be seen Sunday and Monday morning at 4017 Page av. m12

FOR SALE—A nice delivery wagon, nearly new, price $55. Inquire of G. Kemps, fireman at No. 5 Engine House, 18th and N. Market st. m12

G. F. VOGEL, Manufacturer of Carriages, Buggies, Spring Wagons, City Trucks. Painting and repairing. MAIN AND SPRUCE STS.

IMPORTED English saddles and riding equipments for both ladies and gents. Also a complete line of hand-made road harness, ranging from $13 upwards. Custom work a specialty, and in style and quality equal to any in this or any other market. Henry A. Hammel, 704 Pine st 12

### FOR RENT—ROOMS.

*All advertisements can be sent through Post-Dispatch Telephone Offices. See list at the head of paper.*

16 N. EIGHTH ST.—A nicely furnished front room, first floor, suitable for man and wife or gentlemen. 113

201 CENTER ST.—For rent, two rooms, kitchen and cellar. Apply at 205 Center st., from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. 112

608 MARKET ST. (near business center)—Elegant furnished rooms, by day, week or month. 12

707 N. SEVENTEENTH ST.—Three unfurnished rooms on second floor; also three furnished rooms. Price reasonable. m13

804 N. JEFFESON AVENUE.—Furnished front room for one or two gentlemen at $8 per month. 113

1017 N. NINETEENTH ST.—For rent, a large, well furnished front room, first floor, with all conveniences, where all is quiet, in private family; suitable for man and wife or two gents. m13

1022 N. NINETEENTH ST.—One neatly furnished front room, second story, suitable for couple without children. m13

1023 NORTH FIFTH ST.—One or two large, comfortably furnished rooms; no objection to light housekeeping in one of them; also hall room. m13

1427 MORGAN ST.—For rent, four unfurnished rooms. 113

1430 DOLMAN ST.—Three furnished rooms and finished parret, $12. Apply to Charles H. Frank, 706 Chestnut st. 13

1525 OLIVE ST.—Handsome front parlor; also other very desirable rooms; modern conveniences. 13

2110 GRATIOT ST.—Three rooms and basement. Apply at 807 S. 21st st. s13

2625 OLIVE ST.—For rent, second floor, 23x75 feet, with three rooms attached. $25. 13

2626 OLIVE ST.—Handsomely furnished second story front room, convenient to good board. t13

ELEGANT rooms for rent, furnished or unfurnished, with board in private family; terms moderate; references exchanged. Apply to M. A. Wolff & Co.

USEFUL Christmas presents at Simmons Hardware Co.

### FOR RENT—DWELLINGS.

*All advertisements can be sent through Post-Dispatch Telephone Offices. See list at the head of paper.*

1424 S. COMPTON AV.—New 6-room dwelling, bath, gas and gas fixtures, $25; also, 4-room cottage adjoining thereto, two flats of 3 rooms each, same conveniences, $13. CAVENDER & ROWE,
14 213 N. 8th st.

1540 CHOUTEAU AV.—Furnace and all modern improvements. Apply H. C. Yocum, 808 N. Main st. 14

FOR RENT—2307 Chestnut st.; ten rooms; all modern conveniences. Apply to Chas. L. Hunt, 106 Pine st.

### TO LET—FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES.

612 AND 614 ST. CHARLES ST.—Three-story building, with basement, containing 8,000 feet floor-room; with hydraulic elevator and modern conveniences. Apply at 614 St. Charles st. 17

1725 WASHINGTON AV.—Large stable in good repair for rent. m17

FOR RENT—Large building, with power, will be rented to some manufacturer. Jaynes & Co., 2d and Webster sts. 17

### BOARDING.

*All advertisements can be sent through Post-Dispatch Telephone Offices. See list at the head of paper.*

POCKET KNIVES to suit everybody at Simmons Hardware Co.

616 MARKET ST.—Madison Hotel; central location. Room and board $1 per day, $4 50 per week. Meals $3 per week. 18

1122 CHOUTEAU AV.—Handsome y furnished front room, with good board, for man and wife or gent; gas and bath; terms reasonable. f18

2324 PINE ST.—One second-story room with first-class board at reasonable rates. s18

2730 WASHINGTON AV.—One nicely furnished room; without board; refs. ex. 18

NO. 1189 S. 7th st., five doors below Chouteau avenue, cheap rooms with board. 18

WANTED—Boy 15 or 16 years old, without a home, to room with gentleman, if reference, age and how employed are satisfactory. Address K. 77, this office. m18

### BOARD WANTED.

TWO young ladies employed through the day wish board in a private family. References given. Centrally located. Ad. N. 90, this office. m19

### BOARD AND LODGING WANTED.

WANTED—A pleasant room and board in private family, in the vicinity of 8th and Morgan sts., by a young Spaniard; terms must be reasonable. Ad. T. 2, this office. m20

### HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

WANTED—A nicely furnished room in quiet location, where balance of residents are not too inquisitive. Ad. Y. 83, this office. 121

### MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

*All advertisements can be sent through Post-Dispatch Telephone Offices. See list of books to the head of paper.*

ALL the newest and most æsthetic goods, cards, picture-frames, etc., suitable for Xmas gifts; cheap at Stephe's paper-hanging store, 413 and 415 Franklin av. 26

GENTLEMEN, go to 1428 Franklin av. to have your clothes dyed, cleaned and repaired. 26

USEFUL Christmas presents at Simmons Hardware Co.

WANTED—Everybody to buy their canaries and mocking birds, canary seed and mocking bird food at E. Kaub & Co.'s, 417 Walnut st. 26

### WANTED—TO EXCHANGE.

*All advertisements can be sent through Post-Dispatch Telephone Offices. See list at the head of paper.*

WILL EXCHANGE 80 acres improved farming land, 6 head of cattle, 100 bushels of corn, 1 ton of oats, for dry goods, groceries, etc. Address Owner, Exchange, Stoddard county, Mo. 24

### BOOKS.

1,000 STANDARD New and old books; cash paid for libraries. Dan Linahan, Fourth and Washington av.

DO not forget that all kinds of new books are sold at half price at Archambault's, 315 Pine st.

### MUSICAL.

*All advertisements can be sent through Post-Dispatch Telephone Offices. See list at the head of paper.*

EMERSON pianos have a reputation of 30 years' standing. For sale on easy payments or for rent, at H. Koerber's. 1163 Olive st.

HENRY F. MILLER
PIANOS.
The best judges of pianos say they are first-class in every respect. They are fully warranted and their durability is guaranteed. J. A. Kieselhorst, 2706 Market st. 27

### EDUCATIONAL.

*All advertisements can be sent through Post-Dispatch Telephone Offices. See list at the head of paper.*

St. Louis Mercantile College,
Cor. Washington Av. and Fourth St.
Book-keeping, penmanship, arithmetic, etc. thoroughly taught. CARD WRITING—Wedding invitations, resolutions, etc., promptly written by our penman. For circulars call at the college office, or address PERKINS & HERPEL, Proprietors.
Evening session now open. 29

MARTIN'S Institute. Open day SHORTHAND and type-writing 618 Olive street, and evening. 32

THE STENOGRAPH, By means of which shorthand can be learned in less than half the usual time. 404 Market st. 20

### LOST AND FOUND.

*All advertisements can be sent through Post-Dispatch Telephone Offices. See list at the head of paper.*

FOUND at last, the best, most experienced taxidermist in America. Inquire at E. Kaub & Co.'s bird store, 417 Walnut st. 26

LOST—A setter dog, tall, light brown with white breast. $5 reward by returning to 2008 Rutger st. m30

LOST—On December 16 a sorrel colt, bald face, four white legs and a blue and white eye. A reward will be paid for information leading to his recovery. Apply to Police station or to Louis Tonwell, 1st ward, East St. Louis.

### FINANCIAL.

*All advertisements can be sent through Post-Dispatch Telephone Offices. See list at the head of paper.*

$25 AND UPWARDS loaned on furniture without removal; lowest rates; no charge for loan; business confidential. F. W. Peters & Co., 620 Chestnut street, room 18.

MONEY LOANED—On furniture in residence; business conducted; charges for making loan. Brolaski & Voorhis, 603 Pine. 21

MONEY TO LOAN on household goods without removal, business confidential; no brokerage or commission charged. D. H. Evans & Co., 207 N. Seventh street. 31

MONEY to loan on furniture, without removal, by Daniel Reed, 615 Pine street. s31

MONEY to loan on furniture without removal and without commission. Address, in confidence, Y. 49, this office. s31

Money to Loan.
The undersigned advance money on certificates of membership of Merchants' and Cotton Exchanges, warehouse receipts, notes, furniture, pianos; lowest rates; no commission charged.
JAMES McDONOUGH & CO.,
Notaries Public, 514 Pine st.

Money to Loan.
$50,000, $10,000, $3,000, $1,000 on real estate in city and St. Louis county at 6 per cent. Inquire at JOHN LACY & SON,
31 3685/8 Olive street.

MONEY TO LOAN on household furniture without removal; lowest rates; business confidential. C. F. Betts, Notary Public, 208 N. 8th. 31

### ALL SORTS.

*All advertisements can be sent through Post-Dispatch Telephone Offices. See list at the head of paper.*

A. MARKS
517 Locust Street.
First-class glazing at lowest prices. Twenty-five per cent discount on regular rates. A full line of mirrors and picture frames.

ALL cases of clothing bought by calling or address ing Mrs. Allen or J. Allen, 707 N. 8th st. 32

BIRD store and taxidermist. E. Kaub & Co., 417 Walnut st. 32

BIRDS, PARROTS, pet animals, gold fish, bird cages, bird seed, mocking bird food, etc. A. Bohne, 623 Olive st

BUTTER CHEESE, LARD, EGGS. WM. N. TIVY, 624 N. Second St. HONEY.

FIRST-CLASS photographing at second-class prices; taken regardless of weather, at H. F. Adams & Co.'s gallery, 215 North Fourth st. 32

HEATING STOVES AT COST.
F. M. Campbell & Co.,
1015 Washington av.

NURSERY stock of all kinds for sale. Shade trees pruned and planted by J. Gardner, proprietor of Southern Nurseries, 2501 Eliot av. 122

PARLOR CLOCKS
On Time Payments!
Goods delivered on first payment. Pictures, Mirrors and Albums same terms. Fred. H. Ingalls, 1007 Olive st.

THE place to get your carpenter and jobbing work done is at P. J. Finley, 1125 St. Charles st. m32

USEFUL Christmas presents at Simmons Hardware Co.

### STORAGE.

BEST storage for furniture; clean, dry and lowest rates. J. B. Brolaski, 603 Pine st. 84

### REMOVALS.

DR. W. B. CONERY has removed his office to No. 704 Olive st. Office-hours, 10 to 12 a. m. and 2 to 4 p. m. 35

### PROFESSIONAL.

*All advertisements can be sent through Post-Dispatch Telephone Offices. See list at the head of paper.*

DR. P. G. VALENTINE, Homeopath, has taken an afternoon office at 919 Olive st.; office hours 2 to 5.

MRS. H. TYLER WILCOX, M. D., No. 1113 Garrison av. 34

### SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

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#### Book-keepers.

EXPERIENCED book-keeper, now with large wholesale house, desires to make a change; best references, present firm and others. Ad. Y. 36, this office. w26

PRACTICAL book-keeper would like set of books to balance up or new set to open; A. 1 city refs. Address S. 57, this office. 126

#### Clerks and Salesmen.

A CITY salesman wants a line of goods to introduce to grocers, on commission or otherwise. Ad. S. 44, this office. 127

A YOUNG man who writes a good hand would like to post books evenings; willing to work cheap. Ad. O. 22, this office. m43

SITUATION wanted by young man of 28, with the best of ref. and security as traveling salesman for some druggist, sundries or grocery house, or would take an inferior situation in such establishment with a view of getting a traveling position in the course of three months' has been in druggist sundries manufacturing company six years. Ad. T. 3, this office. 127

WANTED—Position with a good liquor house as salesman for Texas; experience and references. Address Y. 18, this office. 127

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#### Coachmen and Drivers.

WANTED—Situation by a young man as coachman in private family; good stableman and coachman and good references. O. 26, this office. s29

WANTED—Situation as coachman in private family by young man 24 years of age; had two years' experience; thoroughly understands business; terms reasonable. Ad. K. 5, this office. m29

### SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

*All advertisements can be sent through Post-Dispatch Telephone Offices. See list at the head of paper.*

#### The Trades.

A GOOD book and job printer, with some knowledge of power press work, and competent to read proof, desires a situation; no objections to going into the country; will work for moderate salary. Address O. 65, this office. 138

A BOY, 16 years, speaking German and English, wishes a situation to learn his trade, photographer; can furnish first-class references. Ad. T. 35, this office. m38

A BOY of 14 years wishes to learn some trade. Ad. A. O., this office. 138

#### Boys.

WANTED—By a smart, industrious colored lad, a position to do chores about the house; willing and ready. Ad. K. 59, this office. w42

#### Miscellaneous.

A YOUNG man 20 years of age wants to make himself useful in confectionery store; speaks German. Ad. S. 58, this office. w43

A YOUNG man wants a situation to do almost anything. Address N. 14, this office. w43

A MARRIED German young man, willing to work, wishes any kind of work; he is a good hostler and careful driver; speaks and writes German and English; wages, not much asked; refs. given. Apply 1106 N. 14th st., in the basement. 143

BY a young man, as anything light; refs. given. Ad. S. 46, this office w43

SITUATION wanted to do light work by a young man just recovered from a long illness; good references. Ad. T. 13, this office. m43

WANTED—By a sober and industrious young man, a situation of any kind. Ad. T. 37, this office.

WANTED—Situation by a young man to work on farm for shares with any reliable man. Ad. R. 79, this office. m43

WANTED—Situation by a young man of 20 in some good office work; speaks English and German; salary no object. Ad. K. 88, this office. w43

WANTED—Situation for man and horse in light delivery; would solicit orders in connection with salary. Lee, 2432 Wash st. m43

### HELP WANTED—MALE.

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#### Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—Two good men to sell a new article. Ad. O. 13, this office. m54

#### Coachmen and Drivers.

WANTED—A driver to take care of horses and assist in house. Ad. S. m55

WANTED—A man to take care of horses. Call at 418 Locust st. m55

#### The Trades.

TWO plumbers wanted at 804 Pine st. immediately.

WANTED—A young man who has had 2 or 3 years' experience in the printing business. A. M. Brockestedt, 513 Elm st. w56

WANTED—Fifteen machine hands to make overalls. 1424 N. 11th st., up stairs. Steady work. w58

#### Boys.

BOY wanted, white or colored, about 16 years old, to work in small private family. Must understand house-work and be neat and smart. References required. Apply at 2307 Lucas av. w61

BOY wanted about 15 or 16 years old. Apply at 208 Elm st. f61

WANTED—Boy with some experience in soldering. Call at No. 707 North Main street. s61

WANTED—A boy about 16 to work in a restaurant.

WANTED—Boys with references to do polishing in shell jewelry factory. 215 Pine st., 2d floor. 161

#### Miscellaneous.

100 MEN to stop at the Galt House, 1029 Broadway; single bed 15c; single rooms 25c per night. Open day and night. 62

WANTED—You to try a good dinner from 3 to 4 o'clock for 10c at 15 cents at What Cheer Restaurant, 625 Morgan st. 62

### SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

#### Clerks and Saleswomen.

A YOUNG woman who has facilities for doing copying and circular work by type-writer in the best and most satisfactory manner and at a less cost than it is done by pen, would be pleased to show sample work and give estimates of cost. Address M. E. R., this office. 143

A LADY wishes employment to address circulars or copying work to be done at home. Ad. R. 90, this office. 163

#### Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

SITUATION wanted by a good seamstress. Call or address M. L. B., 3120 N. 10th st. 146

WANTED—Sewing to do at home, or would go out by the day. Call or address 1410 Franklin av., 2 top floor. m46

#### Housekeepers.

A WIDOW lady wishes a place as housekeeper. Ap. at 1417 Franklin av. w47

A MARRIED lady wishes to superintend housekeeping until spring; remuneration board; reference exchanged. Ad. S. 46, this office. w47

A MIDDLE-AGED lady would like to superintend no use keeping until spring; reference exchanged. Ad S. 46, this office. 147

SITUATION wanted by an accomplished lady as housekeeper for widow or bachelor; no objections to leaving city; best ref. Ad. Y. 24, this office. 147

SITUATION wanted as housekeeper in small hotel. No objections to leaving city; best ref. Ad. R. 94, this office. 147

#### General Housework.

SIT. to do general housework by German girl. Ad 1112 St. Louis av. w48

#### Cooks, Etc.

A WOMAN wants a place to cook, wash and iron or general work in city or country. 919 N. 14th. m49

WANTED—A situation by a colored lady to do cooking. Very best city refs. Ad. N. 60, t. o. w49

#### Nurses.

A LADY of experience desires a situation to nurse an invalid lady; references exchanged. Address S. 69, this office. w50

#### Laundresses.

WANTED—By a responsible woman, to take washing into the house. She is a good laundress. Apply 1106 N. 14th st., in the basement. 153

#### Miscellaneous.

WANTED—An educated German lady (widow without children) wishes a situation to assist the lady of the house; can also teach children in German, French and English. Please address M. J., care of St. Mary's Infirmary, 1536 Papin st. w52

### HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

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#### Housekeepers.

A GOOD housekeeper to go to the country. Please call at 1829 Olive st. m55

#### General Housework.

GIRL for general housework; no washing. 1515 Chestnut st. m66

GOOD girl wanted to do housework and cooking for small family; good wages paid; German preferred. 2231 Pine st. m66

WANTED—A girl to do general housework. 3113 Lucas av. m66

WANTED—A German girl at 3407 Caroline st., Compton Hill. m66

WANTED—Girl for general housework; Swede or German preferred. 1813 Walnut st. m66

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call Tuesday 1810 Hickory st. 166

WANTED—A girl to assist in general housework; family of two. Apply at 2232 Carondelet av., third floor. w66

WANTED—White or colored girl in small private family; must be good cook and washer, with good reference. 3307 Lucas av. w66

#### Laundresses.

2608 LOCUST ST.—House girl wanted to do washing and ironing. m67

LAUNDRY women at Hurst's Hotel, 4th and Locust sts. m67

WOMAN wanted to wash and mend for gent. Ad. G. O., this office. m57

#### Cooks.

WANTED—A good cook and chamber-maid. Apply at 1305 Washington av. m77

WANTED—Cook at 1817 Preston Place, near Lafayette Park. Call at once. 168

#### Nurses.

WANTED—A good nurse; good home and good wages. Call immediately at 3547 Laclede av. m79

#### Miscellaneous.

WANTED—One good dining-room girl. Wm. Hunter, 921 Pine st. 171

WANTED—A good nurse girl to assist in general housework. 2396 Park av. 171

### DRESSMAKING.

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DRESSMAKING.—Mrs. A. Cameron, formerly of Glasgow, Scotland, has completely regained her health, and will be glad to see her friends and patrons at 2924 Pine st. 172

### AGENTS WANTED.

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AGENTS—AGENTS—TO sell our household and kitchen specialties; very best goods in the market; sell to every family; agents making from $10 to $25 per day. Send for full particulars, free. HUNTER SIFTER M'F'G CO., 34 to 40 E. Fifth st., Cincinnati; 135 Spring st., New York. 73

### LEGAL.

#### Orders of Publication.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
October Term, 1882.
Wednesday, November 22, 1882.
Fannie Hogue
vs.
James P. Hogue.

It appearing to the court from the petition herein, duly verified by affidavit, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri; therefore, on motion of plaintiff by attorney

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that defendant has absented himself from plaintiff without reasonable cause for the space of more than one year next before the filing of the petition herein.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis, on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 23d day of November, 1882.

(L. S.) 15J CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Friday, December 8, 1882.
Fidel De Mere
vs.
Jennie De Mere.

It appearing to the court from the affidavit this day filed herein that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of plaintiff by attorney

It is order that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that defendant has absented herself from plaintiff without reasonable cause for the space of more than one year next before the filing of said petition.

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A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 7th day of December, 1882.

(L. S.) 15J CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.

#### Administrators' Notices.

ESTATE of Katie E. Smith, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of

Katie E. Smith,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 22d day of September, 1882.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 28th day of November, 1882.

WILLIAM HAHN,
Administrator of Herman Wiener, deceased.
28H

ESTATE OF Frederick Eickermann, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of

Frederick Eickermann,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis on the 29th day of November, 1882.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letter, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.

Dated this 2d day of December, 1882.

WILLIAM E. FISKE,
Administrator of Frederick Eickermann, deceased.
Klein & Fiske, Attorneys. 34H

### LEGAL.

#### Administrators' Notices.

ESTATE of Louisa P. Levecke, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of

Louisa P. Levecke,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 13th day of December, 1882.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1882.

271 CHARLES W. LEVECKE, Administrator.

ESTATE of William H. Haggerty, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of

William H. Haggerty,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the fourth day of November, 1882. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this fourth day of December, 1882.

25J THOMAS J. HAGGERTY, Administrator.

No. of Estate 14,520.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of Ferdinand Werner, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

Ferdinand Werner,

deceased, and that I did so on the 28th day of November, 1882, for the purpose of administering on the same.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis. Office, N. W. cor. Sixth and Locust sts., Ins. Building.
St. Louis, Mo., December 1, 1882. 28H

ESTATE of Albert Hewitt, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration, with the will annexed, on the estate of

Albert Hewitt,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 29th day of November, 1882.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 27th day of November, 1882.

SEELEY C. BUNN,
Administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of Albert Hewitt, deceased.
Jay L. Torrey, Attorney. 26H

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the partnership estate of

Arthur B. Abercrombie

(a firm), that I, the undersigned, surviving partner of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of March next.

CHARLES P. DAMON,
Surviving Partner.
St. Louis, December 16, 1882. 26L

ESTATE of Mary Ann McClean, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of

Mary Ann McClean,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 31st day of October, 1882.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 9th day of December, 1882.

CHARLES McCLEAN,
Executor of Mary Ann McClean.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate John Peterson. deceased. Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

John Peterson.

deceased, and that I did so on the 3d day of November, 1882, for the purpose of administering on the same.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred. MARTROM D. LEWIS.
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis. Office, N. W. cor. Sixth and Locust sts., Ins. Building.
St. Louis, December 1, 1882. 31H

No. 14,489 of Estate.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of Dominique Matthieu, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

Dominique Matthieu,

deceased, and that I did so on the 27th day of November, 1882, for the purpose of administering on the same.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred. MARTROM D. LEWIS.
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis. Office, N. W. cor. Sixth and Locust sts., Ins. Building.
St. Louis, Mo., December 1, 1882. 30H

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION De Bonis non.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration de bonis non upon the estate of

Nancy Miriam North,

deceased, have been granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court or the City of St. Louis, Missouri, bearing date December 12, 1882. The administrator of John F. O'Rourke as executor, and of James E. Withrow, the administrator pendente lite of said estate, was revoked on said 12th day of December, 1882, by the setting aside of the instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of the deceased, and the subsequent order of said Probate Court.

JAMES M. ROBBINS,
Administrator de bonis non of the estate of Nancy M. North, deceased.
St. Louis, Mo., December 15, 1882. 15L

ESTATE of William T. Christy, Jr., deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of

William T. Christy, Jr.,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, on the 24th day of November, 1882.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate;

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Executors' Notices.

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W. LEVECKE, Administrator.

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THOMAS J. HAGGERTY,
Administrator.

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OSCAR GRAY,
Darby, deceased.

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CHARLES K. RAMSEY,
son of William F. Starr, de-
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# SICK SPIRITUALISTS.

## How a Girl of Seventeen Proposed to Demonstrate Immortality.

## Supernatural Plaster Casts--Lively Scenes in a Third Story Tenement.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, December 25.—Among the advertisements in a morning paper yesterday was an announcement that William Roberts and sister would demonstrate immortality at 172 Third avenue at 3 o'clock. At that hour a reporter presented himself at the address mentioned. He tried the outer door. It was unfastened and he stepped into the vestibule where he met a man coming out of the hall. The reporter showed him the advertisement and asked:

"Can you tell me where I can find Mr. Roberts?"

The man looked at the slip and replied coolly:

"I guess you'll find that racket one flight up."

Greatly shocked at hearing so stupendous a thing as a demonstration of immortality called a "racket," the reporter went one flight up, accompanied by another truth-seeker who had just entered. A general flavor of newly-baked bread prevaded the air.

"Mr. Roberts? You'll find him at the other end of the hall, right hand door," said a white-haired woman at the top of the stairs. The reporter and his companion knocked at the designated door. They heard the sharp bark of a dog and a clear voice saying, "Down, Topsy—be quiet"; then the door was opened by a bright-looking girl of about 15 years.

"We are come to have our immortality demonstrated if you please," said the reporter.

"Come in. Shall I take your hats? Be seated," answered the young lady. A vivacious black-and-tan manifested some objection to the presence of the visitors, but she was taken from the room by her mistress. The apartment was small and plainly furnished. A well worn brussels carpet covered the floor. The dark wall paper formed a good background for several pictures, most of them cheap, gaudy engravings. On a low sofa sat a smoothly-shaven old gentleman dressed with scrupulous neatness in his Sunday clothes.

"We had the strongest possible demonstration here the other night," observed the old gentleman, "Yes indeed, we took a cast of a spirit hand."

"Can you show it to us?"

The girl who had returned after silencing the dog, brought from an adjoining room a plaster cast of a lady's right hand, which she passed to the old gentleman, who passed it to the reporter.

"What, sir, isn't that perfect?"

"It would be if part of the thumb and the entire little finger were not missing. How did you get this?" asked the unbelieving reporter.

"We put a gallon can of paraffine and a pail of water in the cabinet. The spirit put her hand in the paraffine then into the water until a paraffine matrix was floating on the water. This we removed and from it took this cast. It was carelessly handled and the fingers got broken. You observe how small that wrist is. No human hand could have made that matrix, for no human hand of that size could be drawn through the space occupied by that wrist."

"How did the ghost get her hand out?"

"It was dematerialized." Spirit or not the cast was a wonderfully perfect reproduction of a lady's hand, barring the mutilations mentioned before. The fingers were tapering and delicate, the nails even and well formed and the position of the fingers easy and natural. Every vein and every line in the skin, however delicate, was faithfully shown.

"She is not satisfied with the cast, she continued the old gentleman, "because of this little lump on the back. That was the fault of the workman who poured the plaster into the mold. Next time she comes she will give us a cast of her foot, and if we choose to furnish the paraffine one of her head also."

"My brother has been unwell all day and I don't think he can give a seance to-night. I'll ask mother," said the girl. Mother came in presently and said that her son was too ill to give a seance.

"Can't your daughter give one," anxiously asked the first old gentleman.

"Perhaps so, but she couldn't materialize."

As the visitors passed into the bread-scented hall, the reporter's friend observed, "It is curious that these mediums are usually ill when there is no crowd to see them. A slim house makes them sick. Good night."

## TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

A party of Indians are on the war path near Muskogee, I. T.

Herr John Most, Socialist, arrived in Chicago on Sunday. No formal reception.

The whaling bark Hercules arrived at New Bedford, Mass., on Sunday, with ten cases of small-pox on board.

De Lesseps announces a scheme for the creation of an inland sea in Africa to be prosecuted by private enterprise.

Matt Grace, the wrestler, was arrested in New York on Sunday night by detectives. The charge was not made public.

At Scranton, Pa., on Saturday night, Alderman Louis Meyers was probably fatally stabbed at a ball by Wm. Kuntz.

Gov. Crittenden, on Sunday, in accordance with the usual custom, issued pardons to two convicts in the Missouri Penitentiary.

President Zaldua, of the Untited States of Columbia, died at Baga on Friday, and the Vice-President assumed the Presidency.

Charley Wright accidentally shot and killed himself while hunting about three miles from Franklin, Howard county, Missouri, on Saturday.

At Lafayette, Ind., on Sunday forenoon, Chas. Roe, an ex-foreman, was shot dead by some unknown person in a low dive near the depot.

The firm of James Smyth & Co., of Philadelphia, manufacturers of ginghams and cotton goods, have failed. Liabilities, $400,000. Assets $500,000.

An investigation is expected of the management of the training ship Portsmouth. The boys complained bitterly of their treatment on the European cruise.

Proprietors of New York concert saloons who gave "sacred concerts" on Sunday night were arrested under the penal code. A few saloon-keepers were also arrested.

Through the fault of a telegraph operator two freight trains on the N. Y. P. & O. came in collision near Kennedy, N. Y., last evening. F. D. Cork, conductor, was killed. The loss is $15,000 to $20,000.

Of the students arrested in Rome and Naples for riotous demonstrations following upon the hanging of Overdonk, some have been discharged, some fined and some sentenced to imprisonment for one and two months.

Great consternation has been caused in Switzerland by the report that Bernese Oberland, successor of Interlaken, Comptoir & Comte, manager, members of the Cantonal Government, have absconded.

In Fulton, Ky., on Saturday night, Tom Williams, a young man of good family, was shot dead by Jake Roberts, a promising local merchant. The Coroner's jury found that the shooting was done in self-defense.

At Ladonia, Tex., on Sunday morning, William Vaughn mortally wounded two brothers named Boone, great-grandsons of Daniel Boone, of Kentucky fame. The difficulty grew out of some dispute about potatoes.

At La Salle, Ill., on Sunday morning, Patsey Donnelly, a notorious character, causelessly shot to death a young man named Michael McDonnell. Donnelly was almost immediately afterwards killed by a police officer.

In Jefferson City on Saturday, depositions were taken before L. C. Krauthoff, Notary Public, in the case of State vs. Russell Brown, for the purpose of sustaining the theory of hereditary alcoholism to be pleaded on the trial.

The Pope, on Sunday, received the Cardinals, who presented the customary congratulations. In replying to the address, his Holiness said: "The Papist is the great moral force and the powers are re-knitting their relations with it.

In Indianapolis on saturday the jury in the case of Brooks, on trial for the murder of Dr. Gauze at Richmond, Ind., returned a verdict of murder in the second degree, and fixed the punishment at imprisonment in the penitentiary for life.

At Estilline, D. T., on Sunday, the three young children of a Mr. Barker were burned to death in their father's house during the temporary absence of their parents. In attempting to rescue the youngest child Mrs. Barker received burns which place her life in danger.

The series of boxing matches organized in London by William Maddern, of New York, to determine who was the best pugilist in England, with a view of making a match with America's best man, terminated on Saturday. Middle, middleweight of Birmingham, won, displaying great smartness.

The following statement shows the various business occupations of members of both branches of the incoming Missouri Legislature: Farmers, 64; lawyers, 56; merchants, 15; physicians, 9; agents, 7; clerks, 6; ministers, 4; manufacturers, 4; editors, 3; architects, 1; steamboat captain, 1; retired, 2. Total, 174.

At Uniontown, Pa., on Sunday morning, Capt. A. C. McNutt, cashier of the Pennsylvania State Treasury, was shot dead by M. L. Dukes, a well-known lawyer of Fayette county and member-elect of the State Legislature. McNutt had gone to Dukes' room in the hotel to settle a dispute which he had previously had with him, Dukes was arrested.

In Clarksville, W. Va., on Saturday, Albert Pren was found guilty of robbing the mails and sentenced to ten years in the Buffalo Penitentiary. He was a member of the Red Men, an organization similar to the klu-klux, that has been terrorizing things in Bourbon county for a long time past. His conviction is relied upon to break up the Red Men.

## AMUSEMENTS.

### PEOPLE'S.

There was not even standing room at the People's Theater last evening, when Minnie Palmer, suported by John R. Rogers' Comedy Company, Robert E. Graham and T. J. Hawkins, appeared in "My Sweetheart." The little actress is as charming as ever. She admirably sustains her reputation as one of the best soubrettes of the day. Her re-appearance last evening among her St. Louis friends was received with renewed applause and every manifestation of a popular greeting to a favorite actress. "My Sweetheart" has been revised and the plot reconstructed to develop the dramatic interest so that it is well sustained from the rise to the fall of the curtain. It is now played in three acts instead of four. Miss Palmer handsomely dressed the role of Tina and she imparted her spirit and vivacity to the performance with a flood of melody and with encores being repeatedly demanded. Mr. Graham, as Tony Faust, did some good work and his songs were heartily appreciated, but he has a tendency to exagerate. Miss Maggie Arlington, as Mrs. Fleeter, the adventuress, and T. J. Hawkins, as Joe Shotwell, came in for a merited share of recognition. Mr. Hawkins is an actor of unquestioned merit and talent and made a great hit. Some very fine scenery was provided and "My Sweetheart" was presented with every attention to stage detail. There is a special matinee to-day, at which one thousand Christmas gifts are distributed among the ladies and children. Minnie Palmer and the Rogers Company furnish a most attractive holiday-week bill at the People's.

### GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

Colville's romantic and spectacular drama, "The World," the melodramatic success of last season, was reproduced at the Grand Opera House last evening to a large and enthusiastic audience. The great raft scene, the lunatic asylum und the passenger elevator scenes were received with tremendous applause, and the audience manifested the appreciation of the company in a marked manner. The role of the hero, Sir Clement Huntingford, was ably sustained by Mr. James Hardie. There is a Christmas matinee to-day with a distribution of presents among the audience. "The World" will be presented throughout the week at the Grand Opera House.

### POPE'S.

Oliver Doud Byron opened at this house last night in his sensational drama, "Ben McCullough." His melo-dramatic ability is well displayed in the title-role and he was greeted with storms of applause from a crowded house. The company, including Miss Kate Byron, Messrs. Max Miller, Charles Hogan and J. B. Radcliffe rendered good support, and the specialty features were all well received. Some very fine scenery is introduced, and the audience especially complimented an effective representation of a snow - storm in the Sierra Nevada Mountains. There is a grand distribution of gifts by Santa Claus in person at the matinee to-day. Oliver Doud Byron and company will remain at Pope's for the holiday week.

### THE OLYMPIC.

Mr. Chanfrau appeared at the Olympic last evening in "The Octoroon." At the matinee to-day Mr. Jefferson commenced his engagement, presenting "Rip Van Winkle." This evening the great comedian will sustain his famous role of Bob Acres in Sheridan's brilliant comedy of "The Rivals." The performance will be repeated to-morrow evening and at the Wednesday matinee. On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings the "Poor Gentleman" will be presented with Mr. Jefferson as Ollapod, supported by Mrs. John Drew, Frederick Robinson and a superb company. The Olympic holiday bill is the most attractive of the week in quality.

### NOTES.

The Dime Museum, Fourth and Walnut streets, was crowded yesterday. Special features of attraction for the holidays are offered, including the conclave of beauty which is presented to-day.

Mme. Christine Nilsson will appear at the Olympic on Saturday evening, January 6th, in a grand concert assisted by Miss Hope Glenn, Theodore Biorkstem, Signor Del Puente, the Mendelssohn Quintet of Boston, etc. The sale of seats will commence at Story & Camp's on Friday morning.

## Life in the Wilds of Iowa.

From the Cedar Falls Gazette.

James Houghtaling, Jr., and Fred Horn live in the same house, several miles north of town. On Tuesday night Houghtaling had a dance in his part till morning, and Mrs. Horn, in an adjoining room, gave birth to a babe about 12 o'clock, when the light fantastic toe was doing its most lively tripping. Mother and child are doing well, but our informant did not say whether they enjoyed such an unusual occurrence.

## He Mixed Those Members Up.

From Atlanta Letter in the Savannah News.

Speaker Garrard used to get puzzled over "Mitchell, of Gwinnett," and "Spence, of Mitchell," and also "McIntosh, of Dougherty," and "Wilson, of McIntosh," which bothered him the most. As "Wilson, of McIntosh," is colored, "McIntosh, of Dougherty," set the House in a roar one day by replying to the Speaker that "a rose by any other name may smell as sweet, but he preferred to be called the gentleman from Dougherty."

### CHRISTMASTIDE.

At gay shop-windows greens are hung;
Long lights from opening doors are flung;
Carols by childish choirs are sung,
And merry bells in steeples swung.
There's kindly speech on every tongue,
And all men's hearts grow warm and young, D
At Christmastide.

Look down the street! The ant-like throng
That hurries its black stream along,
Where most are weak and few are strong,
Where none are right and some are wrong,
Hath thoughts less selfish than belong
To other days.

Each finds one soul for whom's denied
The sordid wish, the greedy pride;
And, much or little, would provide
For that heart to his own allied.
The faces all grow gentle-eyed
With the good thought.

And for a day the World unbends;
The churl speaks smooth; the miser spends;
The rich and poor, unshamed, are friends;
The tyrant spares; the niggard lends.
Alack! alas! that all this ends
With Christmastide.


## MRS. LOGAN.

### How She Works for John's Political Success and Always Gains Her Point.

Chicago Journal's Washington Letter.

By the way, I shall never forget the first time I met Mrs. Logan. It was at Springfield in 1871, when her husband was a candidate for the United States Senate and I a humble member of the Twenty-seventh General Assembly. Nobody knew for whom I was going to vote in the Senatorial caucus, and those who were figuring for Logan were anxious to find out on which side to count me. My mind had been made up from the beginning, but so many people wanted to know whom I was for that I determined not to gratify their curiosity until I had expressed my preference in the caucus. Finally, Alderman Arthur Dixon, who was then a member of the House, and several others, thought they would commit me in spite of myself. Meeting me one day in the corridor of the Leland Hotel, the artful Dixon, who was accompanied by several other warm friends of General Logan, asked me why I did not call on Mrs. Logan. I said I had not the honor of the lady's acquaintance, and would not dare venture into her presence without an invitation. "Well," said Dixon, "I am authorized to invite you, and now I'll tell you what I'll do. I'll bet you a box of cigars that you can not go into Mrs. Logan's presence and come out without being pledged to vote for John." "I'll take the bet," said I. "Well, then," said Dixon, "you call at Mrs. Logan's parlor at 1 o'clock to-morrow, and in the meantime I'll speak to her, and no doubt she will receive you." "I'll do it," said I. Next day at the appointed hour I rapped at the parlor door, expecting to meet Mrs. Logan, and perhaps Dixon and one or two friends. What was my amazement to find the large parlor filled with members of the Legislature and other gentlemen—about forty ardent admirers of Gen. Logan. As the boys say, "I tumbled to the racket," and concluded that Dixon had "put up a job" on me. I was not then posted on the ways of politicians. My entrance was the signal for a buzz of applause. Two empty chairs were in the center of the room. Being the subject to be operated upon, I was requested to take one of them. There was a piano in a corner, and an accomplished young lady played "The Star-Spangled Banner," "The Wacht am Rhine" and "The Wearing of the Green," according to the supposed predilections of the caller. The latter tune was supposed to have the most soothing effect on Dixon. I was asked to sing, and a friend of mine, who knew that I could no more sing than stand on my head, deliberately asserted that I had a sweet tenor voice, and in my younger days had been the leader of a church choir. They were "giving it to me" with a vengeance. Then they began to talk about the large majority Gen. Logan was sure to have in the caucus, and what a blessed idiot the man would be who would not put himself on the winning side right away. Suddenly I heard the rustle of silk, and looking behind beheld Mrs. Logan, a "delightful vision," as Burke remarked of Marie Antoinette. She was in her prime and looked like a queen. Instinctively I rose, and immediaeely my friend Dixon was by my side, presenting me to the lady. I was received most graciously and requested to resume my seat, I resumed. The conversation then rattled on much the same as before, and again I was invited to sing. Then there was a lull, and quick as lightning Mrs. Logan turned to me and said: "Of course, Mr. ——, you are going to vote for the General?" That was pretty direct. Dixon in imagination began to puff those cigars. He smiled like a basket of chips, and then there was silence to hear the reply. Said I: "Mrs. Logan, if you were the candidate I should certainly pledge myself to vote for you." "Yes," she said, "but you know my husband and I are one." "That is true, madam," said I, "but you are not the same person." With infinite tact Mrs. Logan immediatel turned the conversation in another direction. Dixon's countenance fell. Then there was another request that I sing. I had already refused to warble half a dozen times, and the requests were getting monotonous, not to say impertinent. Mrs. Logan seconded the motion of the others that I should favor them with something—"any selection" I pleased. By this time I had grown indignant, and I said: "Ladies and gentlemen, the only musical performance I ever indulge in is standing on my head." With the impetuosity of a girl Mrs. Logan clapped her hands and said, "Oh, do it!" Several seconded he motion. I finally got up, and, backing toward the door, said: "When I stand on my head I require two persons to hold up my feet." There was a pause. Everybody laughed except Dixon; and, taking advantage of the merriment, I bowed low to Mrs. Logan, and in a jiffy was out in the corridor. It is is only necessary to say that I voted for Logan in the caucus and in the Legislature.


## How a Thriving Town Got Its Name.

Waltham Letter in the Atlanta Constitution.

"Heads or tails?"
"Tails."
The coin was flipped and—
"Heads she lies!"

It was thus that the destiny of a prosperous city was decideda great many years ago in this the pioneer manufacturing town of New England. The story goes that two men, Messrs. Lowell and Boot, some time about 1813, satisfied that another place than Waltham was better adapted to manufacturing, went to the present site of Lowell and started a factory. Boot wanted to name the place in his own honor, while Lowell desired to go down to history with a similar glory. The two men split upon the name and resorted to the tossing of a coin to decide the matter. It fell for Lowell, and to this day the place is Lowell.

## An Unreliable Board of Reliable Men.

From the Cape Ann Advertiser.

Years ago, where there were not so many banks here on Cape Ann as now, a young man who had just gone into business wished to get his note discounted, and in order to make a sure thing of it he interviewed the directors personally and each told him that it would be all right. Going to the bank on the morning after the directors had met, the cashier informed him very blandly that nothing had been done for him. At the next meeting of the directors, just as they were commencing business, the door opened and in walked the young man. Removing his hat, he advanced to the table and remarked: "Messrs. Directors, individually you are a clever sort of men; but collectively you are a set of darned liars, and I can prove it." With this he went out, and the directors gazed at each other in blank astonishment as they inwardly acknowledged the justice of the remark.

## What Some Women Do.

From the Philadelphia Times.

A graceful-looking woman, dressed elegantly, was caught abstracting a diamond ring in a large jewelry store yesterday and on being searched was found to have a pair of "dummy" hands and arms, which were thrust into a muff. She had used her genuine hands to steal the ring and had it on her finger. She was released.

A girl who was arrested several days ago for shop-lifting had a muff worked by a concealed spring so that it could be opened and closed when laid upon an object on a counter. Another woman thief is said to use a caba with a false bottom that can be operated on the same principle. Her specialty is laces and silk handkerchiefs.

An eighth street dealer in meerschaum goods who had two women customers was struck by the request of one for a written guarantee of the genuineness of the meerschaum. On scrutinizing her face he discovered that she was the same woman whom he detected two years ago in a theft. She was searched and a Turkish water pipe and meerschaum articles were found hidden beneath her fur-lined circular in a false pocket. The proprietor did not prosecute her.


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## MISSOURI MATTERS.

Kansas City has 7,495 children of school age enrolled.

Cameron people are greatly elated over the prospects of a $25,000 mill.

Stoddard county has but one colored person, and that one a woman.

The Brookfield creamery has a capacity of 2500 poun ds of butter a day.

Very promising discoveries of petroleum are reported in Vernon county.

Gentry county has loaned out $86,000 of her school fund at ten per cent.

Caldwell county has a great number of cases of the "old-fashioned itch."

Four townships in Nodaway county are feeding 4,048 cattle and 10,210 hogs.

Lewis Morrison, of Washington county, died last week at the age or 94 years.

Mrs. George Fields, a compositor on the Carthage Banner, has fallen heir to $3,000.

The new furniture factory in Poplar Bluffs is expected to be in operation by January 1.

The new hotel at Glasgow will be opened about the 20th of January next with a grand ball.

Diphtheria is epidemic in a number of localities in the northwestern section of the State.

The project of a railway from Huntsville to Higbee is beginning to assume a tangible shape.

There will be 15,000 head of cattle and 24,000 head of hogs fattened in Caldwell county this season.

About January 10 the town of Doniphan, Ripley county, will see its first railroad steam engine.

Endeavors are being made in Malta Bend to form a company to prospect for coal in that vicinity.

An elevator with a capacity of 200,000 bushels has just been built at Belmont, Mississippi county.

The Mound City News says there is a debating society in nearly every school district in Holt county.

A man on Upper Big Creek, Shannon county, raised a beet this year which weighed 19½ pounds.

Last season over 400 bales of cotton were ginned in Douglas county. This year there were not more than twenty.

Ann Warden, a blind colored women, in Brunswick, got her clothes on fire and was so badly burned that she died.

Young Wash Babb, who accidentally shot off his arm, near Chillicothe, died from the effects of the wound last week.

An extra train runs between Birds' Point and Sikeston to keep the corn from piling up too high at the latter place,

The Perryville people are taking steps to build a macadamized road from their town to some point on the Mississippi river.

The population of Piedmont has increased over 100 per cent in the last four years. There are now about 1,500 souls in that town.

A national bank has been organized at Macon City with a capital stock of $50,000. The private bank of Turner, Wilson & Logan has been merged into this.

Mr. Peter Swassing, living about five miles north of Norborne, Carroll county, sold his farm of 140 acres a few days ago to Mr. J. Clemens, for $40 per acre.

Some 150 Italian families are negotiating for the purchase of between 5,000 to 10,000 acres of land in Ripley county, where they propose establishing a colony.

A robber attempted to break into the house of Mr. Dowell, in Moberly, but was driven off by Mrs. Dowell, who fired upon him with a revolver, but unluckily did not hit him.

William Toole, the young man who shot and killed H. B. Donnelly in St. Joe and was acquitted recently on the plea of insanity, was sent to the lunatic asylum last Tuesday.

Stephen Redfield, of Nodaway, had one year ago 20 stands of bees which have increased to 41 stands, and during the year he has sold from them 1,100 pounds of honey at 20 cents a pound.

The forthcoming report of Dr. R. D. Shannon, Superintendent of Public Schools, will show that Missouri has a larger school fund than any other State in the Union. She has now an available fund of $9,471,696 58.

Chas. Cribs, living in St. Genevieve county, went out after pecans with his wife and children. The family became separated, and when the children looked for the father he was found lying dead. A case of heart disease.

Gov. Crittenden has paid the sheriffs of Clay and Saline counties, the marshal of Jackson county and Police Commissioner Craig of Kansas City from $250 to $500 each for expenses incurred in the pursuit of the James boys.

A constable in Ripley county went to the house of a man named Masser to levy on a yoke of oxen. Masser resisted the levy and shot the constable twice, and was in turn shot at and instantly killed. The constable will be likely to die from his wounds.

Robert and Michael Glarves, two young men from the southwestern part of Lewis county, received $2,000 last week for hogs they had raised and fattened without hired help, and they still had other stock and plenty of grain of their own raising.

Chillicothe has seven citizens whose aggregate age is 693 years—an average of 86 years. They are Isaiah Austin, 89; Fitzpatrick, 89; Frederick Outcalt, 86; W. D. Jourdan, 84; Thomas B. Jones, 73; Patrick Carter, 82; Mrs. E. W. Harris, 90 years.

Among real estate sales in Audrain reported last week were one farm 500 acres, $12,000; one of 360 acres, $7,200; one of 200 acres, $5,000; one of 240 acres, $6,225; one of 320 acres, $,500; one of 213 acres, $5,000; one of 343 acres, $7,000; one of 630 acres. $9,225; one of 400 acres, $9,600; one of 335 acres, $10,500.

All the lawyers who composed the bar of Liberty, Clay county, in 1833, are still alive. They are Col. Alex. W. Doniphan, of Richmond, Mo.; Gen. David R. Atchison, of Clinton county, Mo.; Amos Reese, Esq., of Leavenworth, Kansas; Hon. Peter H. Burnett, of San Francisco, Cal., and Judge Wm. T. Wood, of Lexington, Mo.

Chas. Click went to a Carter county dance, one night recently, armed for the purpose of killing Robert Ashcroft. When he found that his man was not at the dance, he sent for him to come. Ashcroft, suspecting something wrong, put a pistol or two in his pocket and answered the summons. On arriving at the place of the dance, he was met by Click, who told him he sent for him in order to kill him. As Click was in the act of drawing his pistol to shoot Ashcroft, the latter shot him dead without taking his weapon from his pocket.

## THE QUEENSBURY FAMILY

### And the Nun Who Married the Talented Baker.

London Correspondent N. Y. Mail and Express.

The name of the Marquis of Queensbury has been of late much before the public. As some misapprehension exists concerning this gentleman, I should like to tell you the truth. Eccentric, perhaps, he is, but is otherwise a man of the noblest nature, grave, upright and truthful. He cannot believe in a personal Divinity, and Mr. Tennyson's skit on the modern skeptics in the Promise of May outraged his sense of justice, and he thought Mr. Tennyson meant that all disbelievers were necessarily profligates, and he got up in the theatre to defend the agnostic body to which he belongs. It was a foolish thing to do, but still not without dignity and a certain grandeur. His mother, a Roman Catholic, is a woman of very holy life. His sister, Lady Florence Dixie, is an ardent advocate of the oppressed. His brother, Rev. Archibald Douglas, is a saint and the father to hundreds of poor orphan children he has saved from misery and degradation. The third sister, Lady Gertrude, was at one time a nun. She was honorably released from her vows by the Pope, and has recently married a young orphan in her brother's refuge. She meekly accepts her changed position, and has opened a bakery with her husband, the object of which is to sell bread cheaper than anywhere else to really distressed people who come with tickets to buy—vouchers that they cannot afford to pay more. Her family accept her marriage uncomplainingly, and, as they all more or less care nothing for the world and its pomps, help her with her good works. Surely if the family is eccentric, it is a pity there are not more like it.

## Regular Samsons Down in Georgia.

From the Athens Banner-Watchman.

Our young friend Jacks, clerking at Dorsey's, is one of the stoutest men in Athens. He can take six sacks of shot in each hand, holding the bags between his fingers, and carry them with ease. He can also hold out three sacks at arm's length. Bill Beusse can take a large-sized keg of beer and hold it up at arm's length over his head, witnout the same touching his person in being raised up. Judge Nicholson says he has taken a heavy anvil in each hand and carried them across a room. But this was in the slim and distant past. Wyatt Upshaw, a negro in Athens, has been seen to take a heavy bale of cotton on his shoulders and carry it across tne street. Mr. R. K. Reaves says he has seen a man named Harrison carry three sacks of salt, weighing over six hundred pounds, across Broad street at one time. A man once lived in Athens who could take the largest size sledge-hammer between his teeth and heave it over his head from between his legs.

## Two Million Francs.

From the New York Herald.

Two brothers named Riboldi—one a self-actor minder in a mill near Bolton and the other a workman at Bury—have just received intelligence that they are entitled to a fortune of 2,000,000f. under romantic circumstances. Their father served in the Crimea and on his discharge became a Custom-House officer in London, where he died, leaving three sons and a daughter. Their mother deserted her older children, while the daughter was adopted by a French gentleman. The latter died, bequeathing his fortune to the girl, who subsequently entered a French convent and also died. For a long period advertisements have appeared in French, German and Italian, and more recently English newspapers, with a view to finding the Riboldis, the Postmaster at Farnworth being ultimately the means of apprising the young men of their good fortune. The property consists of two large estates in the French capital and money invested representing altogether £90,000.

## An Eastern Shoreman's Money.

From the Easton Gazette.

One evening this week Mr. Sol Pippin was sitting in his office looking over some old letters. Among the number was a letter containing a note and a hundred and five dollars in bank notes. Mr. Pippin laid the letter containing the note and money on his desk, and as he looked for the balance of the letters also put them on the desk. After he had examined them he gathered all up, forgetting he had put the one containing the money on the desk, and threw them into the stove. As soon as he returned to the desk he thought of the money and hurried back to the stove, but the paper was all ablaze. But not liking the idea of losing the money he ran his hand into the stove and pulled out the burning papers and smothered the fire. The envelope, letter and note were entirely consumed, but the bank notes were only slightly scorched.

## White Cats as Danger Signals.

From the Conway Democrat.

Hank Woollum, who was engineer on the train at the time young Wiflett was killed, said that almost since he began railroading in Arkansas, or when a mere youth, he had been warned by old road men that the sight of a white cat at night was always an infallible signal of danger. Woollum tells us that he has never seen one till upon this occasion, when he and his fireman had counted four, and upon getting into this place that night he distinctly saw another large white one cross the track in front of him near Allinder's mill. The sight of these superstitious visions had almost caused him to leave his train at Morrilton. The fifth sight wound up with the accident occurring here, which resulted in a trainman's death.

## What is Called the Nigger's Turkey.

From the Atlanta Constitution.

Dr. Amos Fox has about $90 left over from the charity fund of last year. He brought over about $200, but has gradually expended it. He says: "I am going to buy about a thousand 'nigger's turkeys' and distribute them to the poor of the city for Christmas. You don't know what a 'nigger's turkey' is? Why, it's a hog's head. That's the old plantation name for the head of a hog. It furnishes more meat for less money than anything else, and there are few things juicier or better. It is easy to cook, needs less trimming and will impart its savor to a bigger potful of truck than any chunk of meat of like size. You can eat every bit of it but the teeth and the hinges of the jawbone."

## An American Lady Robbed in Italy.

From the London World.

A wealthy and hospitable American lady, Mrs. Blomfield Moore, had three of her trunks opened between Milan and Genoa, with the result that a sealskin mantel trimmed with Russian sable, and a camel's hair ulster trimmed with sable-tails, and other things have been extracted. The hasps of the trunks were unscrewed, and the thieves did not even take the trouble to put back the screws. So frequent are these robberies now in the north of Italy that the Consuls of the various countries are taking the matter up, and one Mr. William Weish, the new American Consul at Florence, has written a stirring letter to the papers on the subject.

## A Man Caught in a Steel Trap.

From the Virginia Clipper.

We learn that a Mr. Pennington, who lives near White Top Mountain, near Grayson, while out hunting alone week before last in the mountain mentioned, accidentally stepped into a steel trap. The trap had been set for a bear, being so strong that the teeth stuck through to the bone about the ankle. Being in great pain he yelled loudly and was heard by a man who was hunting near by, who went to him and released him. The trap is supposed to be the one set by a trapper seven years ago, and could not be found. It was perfectly covered over with moss and unobservable.

## Provisions for a Day's Shooting in Texas.

From the Brenham (Tex.) Banner.

One gallon of whisky, three fried ducks, one quart of cocktail, four loaves of bread, one bottle of wine, three pounds of bacon, one bottle of whisky, two dozen eggs, one jug of whisky, sausage and ground coffee, one pint of whisky, coffee-pot, one demijohn of whisky, cheese, sugar, pepper-sauce, two bottles of snake-medicine, one canteen of whisky, two pounds of Irish potatoes, one small keg of whisky, three lemons, some cigars and a coal-oil can full of whisky, in case of accident to the glass and stoneware packages.

## A Little Lesson in Civility.

From the London Vanity Fair.

A young gentleman of good family studying at a crammer's near Hampton Court, one day last week took a little diversion with a ferret on a neighboring island. He did no harm whatever; but happening to put his ferret in a hay-rick, the proprietor, a notorious blusterer, chose to take offense. Meeting the young gentleman at the railway station, he took him to task in a very insolent manner, and said: "It was lucky for you that I was not present when you put your ferret into my rick, or I would have given you a good threshing." The young gentleman quietly asked: "What would you have done it with?" "With my fists," was the reply. On this the young gentleman said: "If you are game to lose your train I am, and we can settle the matter in that field." The man, no doubt, anticipating an easy victory over the lad, consented. A ring was formed, the combatants took off their coats, and thirteen well fought rounds ensued, the result being that the gentleman, though somewhat mauled, gave his opponent a good thrashing, which will teach him to be more civil in the future.

## The Reporter and the Piute.

From the Virginia City Chronicle.

Johnson, the Piute interpreter, gives the following account of the origin of the recent report to the effect that the Piute and Washoe Indians were at war and had fought a bloody battle at a point near Wadsworth. Says Johnson: "One day me see one newspape' man down Reno. Newspape' man he say to me, 'Piute Injun like Washoe Injun purty good?' Me say, 'Like um purty good.' He say to me, 'Purty soon mebbe Injun fightee?' Me say, 'No, Injun no fightee prifty soon mebbe.' Then he say, 'Injun no fightee?' I say, 'No fightee.' Nex' morning some people read me in paper 'about Injun fightee—dam.'"

## Very Long-Range Duel.

From the London Vanity Fair.

Henri Rocheford has not lost all his native wit since he took to horse-racing in France, and a flash of it gleams out in his explanation of how M. Gambetta came to get a bullet through his hand on Monday. He suggests that this must be the ball fired from the pistol of M. de Fourtou when the latter and Gambetta met in mortal combat five years ago, and were placed so far apart that the bullets have taken all this time to reach their goal. Rochefort says that we shall know next week whether Gambetta's bullet took effect.


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## CITY NEWS.

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## CITY NEWS.

One thousand persons attended the Bethel Mission exercises yesterday. The Christmas celebration takes place on Thursday evening.

Several bales of cotton on a side track of the Lesperance street yards were damaged by fire yesterday morning to the extent of $400.

Abraham Fraiers, an aged negro who did odd jobs for people around Cote Brilliante, was found dead yesterday, in a field near the police station. It was a case of starvation and exposure.

Theodore Koch, for twenty-two years cashier of the Tenth Ward Savings Bank, died yesterday morning at the family residence, 1801 North Market street. He leaves a widow and six children.

Nicholas Signe and Charles Bruce, two negroes, settled an old grudge last evening at the corner of Eleventh and Locust streets. Singe struck Bruce, they clinched, and then Singe fired at Bruce three times, one shot taking effect in Bruce's thigh.

Margaret Timothy, a middle-aged Irishwoman living alone in poverty at 9:30 Collins street, was helplessly intoxicated on Saturday night. Yesterday morning she was discovered lying dead in her room in front of the stove. Her lower limbs were burned to a crisp.

The Liberal League yesterday discussed the moral character of the late D. M. Bennett, editor of the New York Truthseeker, who was convicted at the instance of the Society for Suppression of Vice, for circulating obscene literature. A resolution was adopted commending the deceased and condemning those who prosecuted him.

Bishop Bowman last evening addressed the Union Methodist congregation on the character of Christ. At the Church of the Messiah there was a Sunday-school service in the evening, including addresses by Rev. Dr. Snyder, Prof. Hart, ex-superintendent, a Christmas story, music, etc. The Second Presbyterian Church Sunday-school had Christmas exercises in the evening, and there was a special service in the afternoon at the Mission Sunday-school of the Church of the Messiah, Ninth and Wash streets. At Pilgrim Congregational Church there was a service of song last evening. A cantata was presented by the Sunday-school.

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### The Creve Cœur Controversy.

Ex-Judge John F. Long, who was engaged as a surveyer from 1836 to 1874, a period of thirty-eight years, in St. Louis city and county, Jefferson, Franklin, St. Charles and Pettes counties, was this morning interviewed in reference to the card of Mr. Chas. Gibson and the Creve Cœur Lake matter. The Judge stated that while he was never county surveyor he was often specially deputized to make certain surveys by Jos. C. Brown, Chas. De. Ward and J. B. Moulton. In tracing the boundaries of Spanish grants and United States sections the Judge used the notes of Antoine Soulard, Pierre Paul, Royston and Joe C. Brown, and he frequently had occasion to trace the lines of sections bordering on Creve Cœur Lake. The Judge was asked, "So the field notes, as you were familiar with them, run into or take in parts of the lake?" He replied promptly, "The corners are all made on the banks and the lines meander the lake shores. The Creve Cœur Lakes unquestionably belong to the Government."

## READING NOTICES.

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## OUR NEIGHBORS.

### Items of Interest from Towns and Cities in This Vicinity.

#### Nevada, Mo.

Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

NEVADA, Mo., December 23.—J. W. Ellyson, of Macon county, is visiting friends and relations in the city.——Mr. Harry Duck, of Schell City, was in the city several days, visiting his brother, Wm. Duck, our city telegraph operator.——Mrs. R. B. Speed, wife of the junior partner of the Southwest Mail, returned Friday night, after an extended visit to her sister, Mrs. W. G. Tinsley, of Louisiana, Mo.——James Wood and family arrived here last week from Mercer county, Ky. He expects to make this his future home.——The Band of Hope Society will give a literary and musical entertainment New Year's night.——The young child of Mrs. Gray is lying dangerously ill, with little hopes of recovery.——Nevada will have water-works by the 1st of May next.——Miss Annie L. Prewitt arrived home from Columbia, where she has been attending school, Miss Lizzie McCord, of Waverly, Mo., accompanying her. They will return Janury 2d, 1883.——Vernon county received the flag presented by Henry county last Saturday, which was won by giving the largest Democratic majority of any county in the Twelfth Congressional District.——The Public Schools will be closed all of this week.——The entertainment at Dodson's Hall last night was largely attended.

#### Warrenton, Mo.

Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

WARRENTON, Mo., December 23.—Miss Hattie Howard, an accomplished young lady of Warrenton, has returned to spend the holidays at home.——Mr. C. C. Custer, our constable, who has been dangerously sick, is steadily improving.——Nearly all the students have left for their respective homes.——The town has been crowded with people during the last of this week. Business, as a consequence, has been very brisk.——Mr. Nat. C. Dryden has left for Cleburn, Texas.

#### Astoria, Ill.

Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

ASTORIA, ILL., December 23.—Miss Bell Bonnell, of Griggsville, is visiting relatives here.——The cantata "Birth of Christ," last evening by the M. E. church choir, under the management of Miss Hattie Hobbs, was a grand success. Proceeds $60.——Rev. Carr, of Ipava, was in the city yesterday.——Miss Cora Spencer returns to Roseville to-day.——Wm. J. Carter and family, of Ipava, are visiting here.

HAVING used Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup in my family for the last three years, I find it is the best preparation I have ever used for Coughs and Colds, giving almost immediate relief. B. WALKER, Gen. Com. Merchant. 118 Light St., Balto., Md.

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## THE "BUCKET SHOP" TROUBLES.

### Chicago Qnotations to be Withdrawn on January 1.

The report proves to be only an idle rumor that the Western Union Telegraph Company had reconsidered their determination to withhold the Chicago grain and provision quotations from the different "bucket shops" of country and would only do so in a consideration of $375,000 a year being paid to the telegraph company by the Chicago Board of Trade, otherwise taking their wires out from the Chicago Exchange. The following order was received by the different "bucket shops" Saturday:

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO.
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,
St. Louis, Dec. 23, 1882.

To F. B. Curtis, St. Louis, Mo.:

DEAR SIR—After January 1 we will not furnish the Chicago markets unless you agree to place all deals in other cities by Western Union wires. Yours truly,

C. BAKER, Supt.

Col. Baker, in explanation of this order, says that if the "bucket shops" will make all their trades direct with Chicago, the same as a regular broker does, they will be allowed to receive the Chicago quotations as during the past. This these institutions can hardly do, as it is only the advantage the "bucket shops" offer to their customers in the small amounts they can trade in and in the small margins they put up, that offers an inducement to any one to trade with them.

Mr. F. B. Curtis, in speaking of the course to be pursued by his institution and others, said: "I will tell you what we intend doing; that is, Price, Webster and myself. We are members of the Merchants' Exchange in good standing. Consequently we have a perfect right to use the Chicago quotations posted upon the blackboards up-stairs. Any member who wishes to can take off the Baltimore quotations or any other he wants, can't he? Well, sir, we will have a member of the Merchants' Exchange on the floor who will take off the Chicago quotations as fast as they are posted on the blackboard, give them to a boy outside the door of the hall who will bring them down stairs to us. This, of course, will be a much slower process than receiving the quotations by telegraph, but we think it will work and will meet the approval of our customers."

Mr. Fred Von Phul, who has been in Chicago to see Mr. Clowrey, of the Western Union, has returned home, not having effected anything, as Mr. Clowrey was sick and could not see him. It is understood that Mr. Von Phul will put a man on the Chicago Board of Trade who will send him the quotations by special wire.

WM. BAILS, Bethany, Mo., says: "Brown's Iron Bitters entirely cured me of dyspepsia."

## NORTH ST. LOUIS.

The Bremen Savings Bank elects seven directors Tuesday week.

No arrests had been made in Capt. McDonald's district up to noon to-day.

The congregation of the Trinity M. E. Church will watch the old year out and new one in.

A kindergarten addition is to be built to the Ames School, Thirteenth and Harrison streets.

The Broadway Brickyards recently sold over 200,000 red brick to the St. Louis Waterworks Company.

Capt. Wm. LaMothe and daughter, Miss Mabel, of LaMothe Place, Mo., will spend the holidays here.

Three hundred thousand feet of assorted white pine lumber is being loaded on cars at the yards for shipment to-morrow.

The Union Social Dramatic Club played "The Pearl of Savoy" at Social Turner Hall. The attendance numbered over 800.

Hyde Park Council, No. 4, Legion of Honor, will give an entertainment on the evening of the installation of its officers-elect.

Miss Alice Morgin will give her lady friends a reception this evening at her residence, No. 4321 North Twentieth street.

The Laclede Gas Works, Main and Howard streets, have just put in four new furnaces and will start them up in a few days.

The attendance at the Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Eleventh and Mallinckrodt streets, at first mass this morning numbered over 2,000.

Wednesday night the officers of Bellefontaine Chapter, No. 69, Order of the Eastern Star, will be installed by Mr. David E. Van Stan.

Fifteen new freight cars will be in to-morrow for this division of the Wabash Road. The cars come from the factory at St. Charles.

The funeral of the late Henry Sleuter, was attended yesterday afternoon by the officers and members of Mound City Lodge, No. 276, order of Odd Fellows.

Capt. Frangel, of the Third Police District, has over fifty prisoners locked up. They will all be tried to-morrow in the Second District Police Court.

Next Sunday at 3 o'clock the Christ Mission, North Benton street and Jefferson avenue, will have an Xmas festival for the children attending the mission.

A number of young gentlemen will meet on the evening of the 13th prox. at Krienbaum's Hall, Thirteenth and Bremen avenue, for the purpose of organizing a rowing club.

It is understood that the Mallinckrodt property, at the foot of Mallinckrodt street, now used by the Eau Claire Lumber Company, is to have a levee built around to prevent future overflows.

A force of men will begin work to-morrow on the timber to be used in framing the new saw-mill of the Schuienburg & Boeckeler Lumber Company, corner of Second and (Exchange) Clinton streets.

Hannah Ellis, colored, 55 years old, died suddenly without medical attendance about 5 o'clock this morning at the rear of No. 1121 North Twelfth street. Her life was insured, for the policy is at the Third District police station.

THE ex-City Treasurer of Milwaukee, Wis., Richard Krause, Esq., thus speaks concerning St. Jacob's Oil: "I have used that invaluable remedy for rheumatic pains, and, in my judgment, it has no equal in that line. In my opinion St. Jacob's Oil is great.

### Change of Time.

The Chicago and Alton change time to-day. The Chicago night express will leave Union Depot hereafter at 7:40 p. m.; Kansas City and night express at 8:30 p. m.; Jacksonville accommodation at 5:10 p. m. All other trains same as before.

## SPORTING SUNDRIES.

### Pugilistic Gossip—Base Ball Players—Current News and Comment.

The man who was signed by Manger Sullivan recently at Dubuque, Ia., proves to be Nicol, the substitute of the Chicago Club of last season. Nicol is said to be a fine outfielder and a lively base-runner. The meeting between himself and Manager Sullivan at Dubuque was a lucky one for the St. Louis team.

E. Hicks Hayhurst, of Philadelphia, an old ball tosser, died on Monday last. Beginning in 1861 he was for six years a member of the Athletic Club and finally retired to become the president of the organization.

Denny, of the Providence team, in a letter to this city written November 25, says he does not think the Providence club will last next season and wants to know whether there would be any opening for Radbourne and himself in St. Louis should his prediction prove true.

### THE PRIZE RING.

Richard K. Fox, since the defeat of Paddy Ryan by John L. Sullivan, has been sending to all parts of the world and making almost superhuman efforts to find a pugilist to match against the latter. "Tug" Wilson was brought from England, but his four-round glove-fight with the champion proved plainly that he would not stand the ghost of a show with him in the ring with bare fists. After Wilson's return to England, Mr. Fox sent to George W. Atkinson, of the London Sporting Life, instructing him to make every effort to find a man to match against Sullivan. Mr. Fox was soon informed that the only men in England who would stand any chance with Sullivan were Wm. Knifton and Wm. England. In the recent heavy-weight contest in England, England by Billy Maiden, who had been sent over by Mr. Fox for the purpose, Knifton was defeated by Mitchell, a Birmingham middle-weight, who, by considerable cleverness, won the contest over thirty-two competitors. Whether Mitchell will be imported to fight the American champion has not been stated.

Clarence Whistler, the wrestler, has returned to Kansas City.

A well-known wrestler, Matt Grace, was arrested in New York last night. The charge was not made public.

### NOTES.

Elving has been matched to trot against Orrin A. Hickok's Overman for $5,000 a side. The race takes place in Chicago next June.

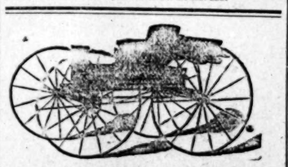
Charles P. Eberle and L. C. Bourney are matched to shoot a glass ball at Ries' Temple Gallery at noon to-day. The match will be a fifty balls each with shotguns.

The foot race at the Grand Avenue Park, this afternoon, between E. M. Sanders and W. C. Sanford, is looked forward to with considerable interest. Sanders is a slight favorite, having been in training for the past three weeks, while his opponent has been working. Sanford has never figured in a professional race, but is confident of making a good showing, at least.

JAMES H. JOHNSON, New London, Mo., says: "Brown's Iron Bitters has given satisfaction to all who have used it."

THE clerks, salesmen and officers of the force of R. C. Greer & Co., commission merchants, presented Mr. R. C. Greer with a handsome cane Saturday evening, as a testimonial of their respect and to show the appreciation of the uniform kindness shown to them during the past year by the head of their house.

**RUPTURE**
Cured, without surgical operation or detention from business, at Vienna Institute, No. 1112 Washington av., St. Louis. Among the great number cured of Ruptures of 10 to 30 years' standing at this Institute, who reside in this city, are: J. Buehler, 1011 Cass av.; M. Kern, 3143 Vineyard st.; G. Lay, Carondelet; A. Raulkotter, 3308 Montgomery st.; G. Loehr, 1018 N. Market st.; J. Eyler, Carondelet; A. Winkler, 898 S. 22d st.; H. Zuler, 1003 N. 13th st. Rupture and constant truss pressure produce disease of kidneys, bladder, spine, rheumatism, impotency and other diseases. Dr. Smythe's book, containing likenesses of persons before and after cure, testimonials, opinions of physicians and the press, mailed for 10 cents. Every ruptured person should read it. Persons can be treated and start home same day. Address Dr. F. T. Smythe, Pres. Vienna Institute, No. 1113 Washington av., St. Louis, Mo.



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Other stores and furniture in proportion. New goods Terms cash. Who can beat that?

"PEACE ON EARTH
—AND—
GOOD WILL TO MEN."

This is Turkey Day at Famous!

We had a dream the other night that Santa Claus, decked in snow-flaked garments and driving a vast sleigh, loaded with turkeys, over the house-tops, drawn by innumerable reindeer, had dropped a luscious fowl down the chimneys of the small army of men, boys and girls who answer every day to roll call at Fifth and Morgan, northwest corner, and lo, it was true! and to-day, between the hours of 12 m. and 6 p. m. the savory odors from many a toothsome gobbler will greet the sense of smell and sight, with the tempting invitation to "pitch in and eat me up."

It's a good day, too, to remember with kindly feeling old friends and neighbors, and to greet new ones with "many happy returns." The sunshine of love and good fellowship will brighten up many hearthstones, and we feel sure that no individual in this wide world can wish "Merry Christmas to All" with a lighter heart than the Famous.

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**RAILROAD TICKETS!**
Special Rates to all Points West and South.
*E. A. Mulford Successor to*
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IN ENDLESS VARIETY.
A full stock of useful and appropriate presents, consisting of Household Furniture, Carpets, Stoves, Oil Paintings, Steel Engravings, Chromos, Wall Cabinets, Music Racks, etc., etc., sold
On Time Payments,
Or for cash, lower than any other house in the city.
**HENRY McNICHOLS**
1017, 1019, 1022 and 1024 Market St.
Open all day Monday, December 25, to enable persons to complete their Christmas purchases.

**AYER'S PILLS.**
A large proportion of the diseases which cause human suffering result from derangement of the stomach, bowels, and liver. AYER'S CATHARTIC PILLS act directly upon these organs, and are especially designed to cure diseases caused by their derangement, including *Constipation, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Headache, Dysentery*, and a host of other ailments, for all of which they are a safe, sure, prompt, and pleasant remedy. The extensive use of these PILLS by eminent physicians in regular practice, shows unmistakably the estimation in which they are held by the medical profession.
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A Sufferer from Headache writes:—
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W. L. PAGE, of W. L. PAGE & Bro."
*Franklin St., Richmond, Va., June 3, 1881.*
The Rev. FRANCIS B. HARLOWE, writing from *Atlanta, Ga.*, says: "For some years past I have been subject to constipation, from which, in spite of the use of medicines of various kinds, I suffered increasing inconvenience, until some months ago I began taking AYER'S PILLS. They have entirely corrected the costive habit, and have vastly improved my general health."
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Large assortment fine and good goods. Lowest prices. Give us a call.
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**Gentlemen's Embroidered Slippers**
The Finest Collection of Patterns to select from that has ever been on exhibition in this city. Prices ranging from $1 75 to $6. Don't buy until you give us a look.

## LEGAL.

### Sheriff's Sales.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the February term, 1883, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of Henry Linstroth and against Richard Cahill and Fritz Niemoeller, I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the defendants in and to the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots numbered twenty-six (26) and twenty-seven (27) in block numbered twenty-three hundred and thirty-seven (2337) of said city, being in Jane Chambers and others' subdivision according to the plat of said subdivision of record in the Recorder's office of the city of St. Louis, said lots having an aggregate front of forty-two feet and four inches (42 feet 4 inches) on the west line of Eighteenth street by a depth of one hundred and ten feet and three inches to an alley fifteen feet wide, bounded east by Eighteenth street, south by land now or formerly of Mumford, west by said alley, and north by a line one hundred and seventy-five feet southward of and parallel to Madison street, formerly called Water-works street or Exchange place.

And I will, on
FRIDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883,
between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title, interest, claim and property of the above named Fritz Niemoeller of, in and to the above described property, to satisfy said pluries execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., December 22, 1882. 21M

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of an execution on special tax bill issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the February term, 1883, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of Gottlieb Eyermann, and against Edwin G. Booth,

I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the defendant, in and to the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot number 17 in city block 448, said lot having an aggregate front of 20.5 feet by a depth of 135 feet, and bounded north by Papin street, east by Chipman, south by alley and west by land of one Barker.

And I will, on
FRIDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883,
between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named Edwin G. Booth of, in and to the above described property, to satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., December 21, 1882. 20M

### Assignees' Notices.

FURNISHING goods, yarns, hosiery, store furniture and fixtures, knitting machines, etc., horse and wagon. Assignee's advertisement for sealed bids.

Dealers and others are solicited to file sealed bids for the stock of goods above-named at 412 and 414 Washington avenue, St. Louis, Mo.

The goods are those assigned by F. W. Henser.

Parties will bid on whole stock and on any one of the classes of goods, the manufactured, unmanufactured, the machinery or horse and wagon, store, furniture and fixtures.

List of goods at the store. Bids must be in by the 1st day of January, 1883. Bidders will deposit $50 as earnest money, which will be returned, if bid is not accepted.

Privileges reserved to reject any or all bids, according to order of court. HENRY W. WERTH,
1M Assignee.

### ELECTION NOTICES.

ELECTION NOTICE—A meeting of the directors of the Joplin Gas and Coke Company; for the election of directors will be held at the company's office, No. 4 Equitable Building, corner Sixth and Locust streets, St. Louis, Mo., at 9 o'clock a. m., on Monday, the 8th day of January, 1883.
H. D. WOOD, President.
R. E. ROMBAUGH, Secretary.

ELECTION NOTICE—Office Helmbacher Forge and Rolling Mills Company, St Louis, December 20, 1882. The annual meeting of the stockholders of this company will be held at the office of the company, northwest corner Fifth and Market streets, on Monday, January 8, 1883, for the purpose of electing five directors to serve one year. Polls open from 9 a. m. to 12 m.
M. HELMBACHER, President.
G. L. GOETZ, Secretary.

ELECTION NOTICE—Fifth National Bank of St. Louis, December 15, 1882.—The regular annual election for seven directors of the bank will be held on Tuesday, January 9, 1883, at the banking house on Fifth street and Lucas avenue. Polls open from 12 m. to 2 p. m.
THEO KOCH, Cashier.

ELECTION NOTICE—Office St. Louis Grain Elevator Co., December 15, 1882.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of this company will be held at the office of the company, corner of Biddle and Levee, on Tuesday, December 26, for the purpose of electing three directors to serve three years. Polls open from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.
H. GRISELIN,
Secretary.

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For England, France and Germany
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GELLERT, January 11, 10 a. m.
WIELAND, January 18, 2 p. m.
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N. B.—For Sale, two good Second-Hand Organs.

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WILLIAM E. FISKE,
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Attorneys. 24M

CHARLES K. RAMSEY,
Administrator de bonis non of William F. Stacy, deceased. 23M

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I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

An undivided half part or interest in and to a certain lot of ground on Page avenue, 50 feet 6 inches in front or width by 120 feet 2 inches in depth; being lot No. 40 in block No. 1 of Page's third western addition to said city.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1882, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Courthouse, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
74g

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of an execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of Hannah Jane Hackey and Christian Hackey and against Henry Potter, William Brandon, Eugene Riggin and George Brandon,

I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the defendant Henry Potter in and to the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 25, block 4 of West Bremen addition (in city block 1241) in the city of St. Louis, Mo., as designated on a plat of said addition filed in the Recorder's office of the said city of St. Louis on the eastern line of Seventeenth street, and with that width running eastwardly about 142 feet more or less to an alley, being bounded on the west by Seventeenth street, on the north by lot No. 26, on the east by an alley, and on the south by lot No. 28 of said addition.

And I will, on

SATURDAY, THE 30TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1882, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
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I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 4 of ground on Washington street, in city block 1236, 25 feet in front or width and 141 feet 6 inches in length or depth, being lot 18 in block 4 in Schneider's addition to said city.

No. 5. Also lot of ground on Washington street, in city block 1236, 25 feet in front or width and 141 feet 6 inches in length or depth, being lot 14 in block 4 in Schneider's addition to said city.

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I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the defendant Henry Potter in and to the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 5, block 4 of West Bremen addition (in city block 1241) in the city of St. Louis, Mo., as designated on a plat of said addition filed in the Recorder's office of the said city of St. Louis on the eastern line of Seventeenth street, and with that width running eastwardly about 142 feet more or less to an alley, being bounded on the west by Seventeenth street, on the north by lot No. 26, on the east by an alley, and on the south by lot No. 28 of said addition.

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ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.
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St. Louis, Mo., November 28, 1882.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and George P. Schaefer and Philip Dauernheim are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Lots 19 and 20 in block 19 in survey 3, in city block 2139, each having a front of 23 feet on Clay street by a depth of 150 feet.

And I will, on

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A lot of ground in city block 2238, fronting 16 6-12 feet on Davis street by 100 feet deep and running to a point, said lot being in block 25 in survey 2 and bounded on the west by Chouteau avenue, on the east by the new county road, on the south by Davis street, and on the west by the old county road.

And I will, on

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I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. A lot of ground on Norfolk avenue 25 feet in front or width and 132 feet 8 inches in length or depth, being lot 18 in block 8 in Laclede Race Track addition to said city.

No. 2. A lot of ground on Vista avenue 12 feet 6 inches in front or width and 132 feet 8 inches in length or depth, being the east half of lot 28 in block 8 in Laclede Race Track addition to said city.

No. 3. A lot of ground on Vista avenue 25 feet in front or width and 132 feet 6 inches in length or depth, being lot 29 in block 8 in Laclede Race Track addition to said city.

No. 4. Four lots of ground on Grimm avenue, in city block 1904, each 25 feet in front or width and 125 feet in length or depth, being lots 21, 22, 23 and 24 in block 10 in Hunt's addition to said city.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 3D DAY OF JANUARY, 1883, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., December 2, 1882.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and George P. Schaefer and Philip Dauernheim are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Lot 5 of block 4 of Germantown addition, fronting 25 feet on Francis avenue, by a depth of 150 feet.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE FIFTH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., December 8, 1882.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Walter S. Johnson, Receiver of the National Bank of the State of Missouri, in St. Louis, the National Bank of the State of Missouri in St. Louis, Elizabeth H. Chadwick, Edgar G. Chadwick, Edward P. Chadwick and William H. Lackland, executors of Joseph L. Chadwick, Edward Bredell and Henry Hitchcock, trustee for Gilbert Chadwick, Edward Bredell, Augustus A. Ward Bredell and Henry Hitchcock, executors of Alfred C. Chadwick, are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

First: A lot of ground in block number five hundred and sixteen of said city of St. Louis, beginning at a point on the north line of Olive street one hundred and eight feet four inches west of the west line of Eleventh street, thence west along the north line of Olive street forty-six feet eight inches, then north parallel to Eleventh street to an alley, thence east along the south line of said alley forty-six feet eight inches, then south parallel to Eleventh street to the place of beginning, on which land are located houses number 1111 and 1113 Olive street.

Second: A lot of ground in said block, beginning at a point on the north line of Olive street, sixty-five feet west from the northwest corner of Eleventh and Olive streets, thence west twenty-one feet and eight inches to a point, then north and parallel to Eleventh street to an alley, then east along the south line of said alley twenty-one feet and eight inches, then south parallel to Eleventh street to the place of beginning, on which land is located a building known as No. 1107 Olive street.

Third: A lot or parcel of real estate in said block, beginning at a point one hundred and eighty feet west of the west line of Eleventh street, then running west and along the north line of Olive street sixty-five feet, then north parallel to Eleventh street to a point in the center line of a certain alley, thence south parallel to Eleventh street to the place of beginning, on which lot is located house number 1107 Olive street.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1882, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., December 8, 1882.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Frederick A. Wisilzenus, plaintiff and against Bernard Schilling and Anna Jette Schilling, defendants,

I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the defendant Bernard Schilling in and to the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 9 in block No. 8 of Thornton D. Murphy's second addition to the City of St. Louis, a plat of which is recorded in the Recorder's office of the city of St. Louis, said lot having a front of 50 feet on the north line of Boston street by a depth of 123 feet and 8 inches.

An I will, on

MONDAY, THE 8TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named Bernard Schilling, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.

St. Louis, December 14, 1882.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Daniel Carney is defendant,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

No. 1. A lot of ground on Norfolk avenue 25 feet in front or width and 132 feet 8 inches in length or depth, being lot 18 in block 8 in Laclede Race Track addition to said city.

No. 2. A lot of ground on Vista avenue 12 feet 6 inches in front or width and 132 feet 8 inches in length or depth, being the east half of lot 28 in block 8 in Laclede Race Track addition to said city.

No. 3. A lot of ground on Vista avenue 25 feet in front or width and 132 feet 6 inches in length or depth, being lot 29 in block 8 in Laclede Race Track addition to said city.

No. 4. Four lots of ground on Grimm avenue, in city block 1904, each 25 feet in front or width and 125 feet in length or depth, being lots 21, 22, 23 and 24 in block 10 in Hunt's addition to said city.

And I will, on

MONDAY, THE 8TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.

St. Louis, December 14, 1882.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Elizabeth Baebenroth is defendant,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Lot fifteen (15) of block No. one (1) of Armstrong's subdivision, and in city block No. 2289, having a front of twenty-five feet (25) on the east line of Hickory street by a depth northwardly of one hundred and thirty-two feet (132) more or less, to an alley 16 feet wide.

And I will, on

MONDAY, THE 8TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named Elizabeth Whitty of, in and to the above described property, to satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., December 11, 1882. 7L

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Frederick E. Essenschield, Frederick Sides, Huntington Smith are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Shaw avenue, in city block 1867, 25 feet in front or width and 125 feet in length or depth, being lot 14 in block 1 in Newman and Howard's addition to said city.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City of St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., December 8, 1882.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Daniel Carney is defendant,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Thurman avenue, in city block 1867, 25 feet in front or width and 125 feet in length or depth, being lot 14 in block 1 in Newman and Howard's addition to said city.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the East front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City of St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., December 8, 1882.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Michael Hagley is defendant,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Lot 16 of block 2 in Rohlfs's addition, having a front of 25 feet on Norris and Charles road by a depth of one hundred and seventeen feet.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 12TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City of St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., December 13, 1882. 8L

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Michael Flynn, jr., is defendant,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Arsenal road, 100 feet in front or width and 261 feet 7 inches in length or depth, being lot 20 in Dalton's addition to said city.

And I will, on

MONDAY, THE 8TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City of St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., December 14, 1882. 9L

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Anna Hartman and Henry Foesing are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 9 in block No. 8 of Thornton D. Murphy's second addition to the city of St. Louis, a plat of which is recorded in the Recorder's office of the city of St. Louis, said lot having a front of 50 feet on the north line of Boston street by a depth of 123 feet and 8 inches.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1882, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City of St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., December 1, 1882. 42R

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Michael Flynn, jr., is defendant,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground in city block No. 2376, 25 feet in front on Davis street by 100 feet deep, in Scaife & Stamp's addition to said city, and bounded north by Davis street, east by realty of one W. S. Stamps, and south and west by realty of one Scaife.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1882, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., December 1, 1882. 42R

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Caspar Dickhaus, alias Caspar Dickhans, Arie de Jong, Edward H. Hymers and Joseph A. Berry are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A certain lot of land in block 28 of Union addition, in the block 35, 14 feet 1 inch in front or width, and 127 feet 9 inches in length or depth, and bounded on the north by real estate of said defendant Johnson, receiver, on the east by Sixth street, on the south by real estate of one Hertel, and on the west by an alley.

Number 2. A lot of ground on an alley, in city block 35, 16 feet 7 inches in front or width and fifty-seven (57) feet 9 inches in depth or depth, and bounded on the north by real estate of one [illegible], on the east by lot of one Chadwick, lessee, on the south by that of one Chadwick, lessee, on the west by an alley.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., December 14, 1882. 17L

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Caspar Dickhaus, alias Caspar Dickhans, Arie de Jong, Edward H. Hymers and Joseph A. Berry are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground on Chouteau avenue, in city block 40, 45 feet 6 inches in front or width, and 67 feet 10 inches in length or depth, and bounded on the north by real estate of one Rose, on the east by that of one Watson, on the south by Chouteau avenue, on the west by real estate of one Brohammer.

And I will, on

MONDAY, THE 8TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named Caspar Dickhaus, alias Caspar Dickhans, Arie de Jong, Edward H. Hymers and Joseph A. Berry, or otherwise, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.

St. Louis, December 14, 1882. 17L

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Daniel Carney is defendant,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Two lots of ground in city block No. 2686, each 25 feet in front or width and 115 feet in length or depth, being lots 38 and 40 in block 55 in Bryan's addition to said city.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Courts-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., December 14, 1882. 18L

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of an special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of Charles Nagel and Frederick A. Wislizenus and against Bernard Schilling and Anna Jette Schilling,

I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the defendant, Anna Jette Schilling, in and to the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 9 in block No. 8 of Thornton D. Murphy's second addition to the city of St. Louis, a plat of which is recorded in the Recorder's office of the city of St. Louis, said lot having a front of 50 feet on the north line of Boston street by a depth of 123 feet and 8 inches.

And I will, on

SATURDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1882, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., December 15, 1882. 50L

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Elizabeth Baebenroth and John B. Bassett are defendants,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A certain lot of ground in Lamonte's addition to said city, being 25 feet front by 112 feet deep, and also being in city block No. 1816.

2. A certain lot of land situated in city block No. 1816 and in Lamonte's addition to said city, being lot No. 10 in block No. 6 of said addition; said lot being 25 feet front by 167 feet deep.

3. A certain lot of land situated in city block No. 1816, and in Lamonte's addition to said city, being lot No. 11 in block No. 6 of said addition; said lot being 25 feet front by 164 feet deep.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City of St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., December 15, 1882. 51L

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Michael Bagley is defendant,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Lot 16 of block 2 in Moulton's addition, having a front of 25 feet on Norris and Charles road by a depth of one hundred and seventeen feet.

And I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 12TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City of St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., December 13, 1882. 53L

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Michael Flynn, jr., is defendant,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground in city block No. 2376, 25 feet in front on Davis street by 100 feet deep, in Scaife & Stamp's addition to said city, and bounded north by Davis street, east by realty of one W. S. Stamps, and south and west by realty of one Scaife.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1882, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., December 1, 1882. 42R

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, wherein the State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of Nathaniel C. Hudson, Collector of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is plaintiff, and Daniel Carney is defendant,

I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the lien of tax bill on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

Two lots of ground on Shaw avenue, in city block 2686, each 25 feet in front or width and 115 feet in length or depth, being lots 38 and 40 in block 55 in Bryan's addition to said city.

And I will, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Courts-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., December 14, 1882. 18L

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of an special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, returnable to the December term, 1882, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of Charles Nagel and Frederick A. Wislizenus and against Bernard Schilling and Anna Jette Schilling,

I have levied upon and seized all the right, title and interest of the defendant, Anna Jette Schilling, in and to the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 9 in block No. 8 of Thornton D. Murphy's second addition to the city of St. Louis, a plat of which is recorded in the Recorder's office of the city of St. Louis, said lot having a front of 50 feet on the north line of Boston street by a depth of 123 feet and 8 inches.

And I will, on

SATURDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1882, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell, at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

ISAAC M. MASON,
Sheriff City of

## LEGAL.

### Trustees' Sales.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—Pursuant to the provisions and for the purposes of a deed of trust from William Holliday to the undersigned as trustee, dated 7th of November, A. D. 1877, and of record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in the City of St. Louis, Mo., public notice is hereby given that the undersigned, will, on

THURSDAY, THE 28TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1882, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of that day, and at the eastern front of the Court-house, in the city of St. Louis, offer for sale at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following real estate, conveyed to me in said deed:

A lot of ground in block No. 262, in the city of St. Louis, Mo., and thus described: Begin at a point in the east line of Second street 55 feet south of the south line of Mullanphy street; thence south on Second street 85 feet; thence eastwardly parallel with Mullanphy street 100 feet; thence northwardly parallel with Second street 35 feet; thence westwardly parallel with Mullanphy street 30 feet; thence northwardly parallel with Second street 50 feet, to east line of Second street and point of beginning.

JOSIAH G. McCLELLAN, as Trustee.
St. Louis, December 6, 1882. 89R

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas Theodore Analyn and Emma Analyn, his wife, by their certain deed of trust dated February 8th, 1881, recorded in book 643, page 264, of St. Louis City Records, conveyed to the undersigned trustee the following described real estate, lying and being in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to-wit: A lot of ground fronting twenty-five (25) feet on the north line of St. Ferdinand street, by a depth of one hundred and thirty feet and six inches (130 6) more or less, to an alley, and being part of lot No. nine (9) of Block twenty-two (22) of the subdivision of Wash Estate, a plat of said subdivision being of record in the recorder's office of the city of St. Louis, and bounded east by a line five (5) feet west of and parallel to the east line of said lot No. six (6); and whereas several of the notes mentioned in the terms of said deed of trust are past due and remain unpaid, now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder and owner of said notes and in pursuance of the terms of said deed of trust, the undersigned will offer said property for sale, at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, at the east front of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, Mo., between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26TH, 1882,

for the purposes of said trust.

CHARLES E. GIRALDIN, Trustee.

94G

### Administrators' Notices.

EXECUTRIX' SALE.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, executrix of the estate of the late Henry Gieselman, deceased, will, by virtue of an order of the St. Louis Probate Court, offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, all the interest of said estate in and to the equity of redemption, in the following described personal property, to-wit: One black horse, one sorrel horse, one bay horse, three gray horses, one iron gray horse, one mare mule, five two-horse stake wagons, one single stake wagon, four sets double harness, one set single harness and four mangolin wagon covers; the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1882,

at the store of the Greeley-Burnham Grocer Company, southeast corner of Second and Green streets, in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, subject to the approval of said Probate Court.

ANNA C. GIESELMAN, Executrix of Henry Gieselman, deceased.
St. Louis, December 18, 1882. 94L

GREAT SALE OF STOVES and other property by surviving partner.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, surviving partner of the late copartnership of M. & E. C. Curtis, will, on

THURSDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1883, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, sell, at public sale, at the foundry, corner of Main and Anna streets, in the city of St. Louis, the personal estate, goods and chattels belonging to the estate of the late copartnership of M. & E. C. Curtis, consisting of a large stock of the best patterns of new stoves of all kinds (cooking and heating, coal and wood stoves), hollow-ware, pipes, and zinc boards, one two-horse and one one-horse wagon, buggy and horse, harness, pig iron, scrap iron, stove plates and moulds, tinner's tools, patterns and flasks and other articles too numerous to mention. If the sale be not completed on the day it will be continued on the same place the next day and from day to day between the same hours until all the property shall be sold.

Terms of sale: On all sums over $100, a credit of four months will be given, the purchaser giving note with approved security, bearing six per cent interest from date; cash in hand for all sums under $100.

MARK CURTIS, Surviving partner as aforesaid.
December 22, 1882. 93M

### Assignees' Notices.

IN MATTER OF THE ASSIGNMENT OF LAITNER BROS.—Notice is hereby given that John M. Bauer, assignee of

**Laitner Bros.,**

has filed and exhibited to the Circuit Court City of St. Louis a statement of the accounts of his trust, to the December term, 1882, of said court, together with proper vouchers, and that said accounts will be allowed by said court in Room No. 1, on Friday, the 5th day of January, 1883, unless good cause to the contrary be shown.

CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk Circuit Court City of St. Louis.
Gottschalk & Bantz, Attorneys. 90L

LAW OFFICE of Davenport & Napton, 108 N. Fourth street—To the creditors of Bohle, Young & Co., a firm composed of John H. Bohle and Robert E. Young—Take notice that I, the undersigned, assignee of Bohle, Young & Co. will, on the second day of January, 1883, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. and at the same time during the two consecutive days thereafter, at the law office of Davenport & Napton, room number 11, at 108 N. Fourth street, in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, proceed to receive and adjust and allow demands against the estate of my assignors, any and all persons so shall see fit to attend at the place designated during the said term and lay before me the nature and amount of their demands shall be precluded from any benefit of said estate.

BENJ. E. DAVENPORT, Assignee of Bohle, Young Co.
St. Louis, Dec. 5, 1882. 62H

### Orders of Publication.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
October Term, 1882.
Friday, November 17, 1882.
Adam H. Bally
vs.
Mary A. Bally.
No. 284.

It appearing from the petition and affidavit hereto-fore filed herein that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, wherefore, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony contracted between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that the defendant has absented herself from him, and from his home, without a reasonable cause, for the space of more than three years next before the filing of this petition.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis, on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against her as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 20th day of November, 1882.
[L. S.] 46G CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Tuesday, December 5, 1882.
Amalia Nocks
vs.
Mary Nocks.

It appearing from the affidavit to plaintiff's petition that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, or that said defendant has concealed herself so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon her, therefore, on motion of the plaintiff, by his attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground of habitual drunkenness of said defendant, and that defendant has, without just provocation, abandoned plaintiff and absented herself from him since 1878, and for an order that plaintiff may have the care, custody and control of the infant children of said plaintiff and defendant.

And unless she appear at the next term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against her as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 16th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] 60L CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Tuesday, December 5, 1882.
Amalia Nocks
vs.
Mary Nocks.

It appearing from the affidavit of plaintiff that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, or that said defendant has concealed herself so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon her, therefore, on motion of the plaintiff, by his attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and said defendant, on the ground of habitual drunkenness for the space of one year next before the filing of said petition, and for an order giving plaintiff the care and custody of the infant child of said plaintiff and defendant, and for award of alimony.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis this 5th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] 57L CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Monday, December 11, 1882.
Mathew Fallen
vs.
Emma Fallen.

It appearing to the court from the petition herein, verified by affidavit, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri; therefore, on motion of plaintiff by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between her and the said defendant, on the grounds that defendant has been guilty of cruel and barbarous treatment of plaintiff as to render her life, by beating and assaulting her, and also rendering her condition intolerable by cursing and abusing her, and in other ways, and that defendant has committed adultery; and for an order giving plaintiff the care and custody of the infant child of said plaintiff and defendant, and for award of alimony.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 15th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
Wm. Andre, Plaintiff's Attorney. 46L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Monday, December 11, 1882.
John W. Garratt
vs.
The Jacksonville Car Company.
No. 89,227.
Attachment.

It appearing from the affidavit to the petition herefore filed herein that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, in this, that it is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Illinois, wherefore, on motion of plaintiff by attorney,

It is ordered that the defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against it for the sum of $7,538 86 on account of a promissory note dated January 1, 1882, and executed by defendant, payable to the order of plaintiff for the sum of $7,538 86, payable ninety days after date; and that its property has been attached.

And unless it appear at the term of court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer to the action aforesaid according to law, judgment will be rendered against it and its property sold to satisfy the same.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis; this 12th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
38L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Monday, December 11, 1882.
Ezra H. Linley
vs.
Jacksonville Car Company.
No. 89,297.
Attachment.

It appearing from the affidavit to the petition herefore filed herein that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, wherefore, on motion of plaintiff by attorney,

It is ordered that the defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against it for the sum of $1,403 70 on account of two promissory notes, each dated May 6th, 1882, and executed by the Jacksonville Car Co., payable to the order of the plaintiff, one payable ninety days after date and one sixty days after date, and one for the sum of $700 63 and the other for $700 66.

And that its said property has been attached; and unless it appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer to the action aforesaid, according to law, judgment will be rendered against it, and its property sold to satisfy the same.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and the seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 9th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
38L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Monday, December 11, 1882.
Frank K. Ryan, Attorney for Plaintiff.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December term, 1882.
Friday, December 15, 1882.
Marlina Kleiner
vs.
Theophil Kleiner.

The plaintiff comes by her attorney, and files a petition and affidavit herein, from which it appears that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, wherefore, on motion of said plaintiff, by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the grounds of violent and abusive language, neglect and refusal to support defendant by plaintiff, and for the cause of habitual drunkenness for the space of one year next before the filing of said petition.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 15th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
Wm. Andre, Plaintiff's Attorney. 40L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Monday, December 11, 1882.
John W. Garratt
vs.
The Jacksonville Car Company.
No. 89,227.
Attachment.

It appearing from the affidavit to the petition herefore filed herein that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, in this, that it is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Illinois, wherefore, on motion of plaintiff by attorney,

It is ordered that the defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against it for the sum of $7,538 86 on account of a promissory note dated January 1, 1882, and executed by defendant, payable to the order of plaintiff for the sum of $7,538 86, payable ninety days after date; and that its property has been attached.

And unless it appear at the term of court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer to the action aforesaid according to law, judgment will be rendered against it and its property sold to satisfy the same.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and the seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis; this 12th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
38L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Monday, December 11, 1882.
Ezra H. Linley
vs.
Jacksonville Car Company.
No. 89,297.
Attachment.

It appearing from the affidavit to the petition herefore filed herein that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, wherefore, on motion of plaintiff by attorney,

It is ordered that the defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against it for the sum of $1,403 70 on account of two promissory notes, each dated May 6th, 1882, and executed by the Jacksonville Car Co., payable to the order of the plaintiff, one payable ninety days after date and one sixty days after date, and one for the sum of $700 63 and the other for $700 66.

And that its said property has been attached; and unless it appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer to the action aforesaid, according to law, judgment will be rendered against it, and its property sold to satisfy the same.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and the seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 9th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
38L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Friday, December 15, 1882.
Mary Lahy
vs.
William Lahy.

It appearing from the affidavit filed herein this day that the defendant is a non-resident of this State, on motion of the plaintiff, by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the grounds that defendant has absented himself from plaintiff without reasonable cause for the space of one year and more, and that he has been guilty of such conduct as to constitute him a vagrant within the meaning of the law respecting vagrancy, and for a decree giving her the custody of the children of said parties.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 15th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
41L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Friday, December 15, 1882.
Anton Bernhardt
vs.
Pelagie Morin.
Attachment.

It appearing from the affidavit attached to the petition herein that the defendant is not a resident of this State, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney,

It is ordered that the defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her the object and general nature of which is to obtain a judgment for damages in the sum of $600 and interest, caused the plaintiff by breach of covenant contained in a deed executed by defendant to plaintiff dated May 15th, 1870, and recorded in the Recorder's office of St. Louis city, in book 615, page 103, conveying a lot in block No. 41 of said city of St. Louis, beginning at a point in the west line of Second street 70½ feet south of Cedar street, thence running south 20½ feet along said line of Second street; thence west and parallel with Cedar street 142 feet to an alley; thence northwardly along said alley 20½ feet and thence east to the place of beginning, said breach of covenant consisting in a failure of title to a part of said land and plaintiff's eviction therefrom, and that her property has been attached.

And unless she appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer to the action aforesaid, according to law, judgment will be rendered against her and her property sold to satisfy the same.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 13th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
42L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Thursday, December 7, 1882.
George J. Enderle
vs.
Antoine Roy.
No. 69,114.

It appearing from the affidavit to plaintiff's petition herein that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Missouri; therefore, on motion of said plaintiff by his attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain partition between said plaintiff and defendant of the following described premises, to-wit: Certain realty lying and situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to-wit:

Lot No. nine (9) of Eller's survey, Carondelet, Mo. that subdivision city block of said city, No. 8054, having a front of twenty-five feet on Second street, by a depth of that width of 137 feet eleven inches, more or less, to a twenty-foot alley, and bounded on the north by Paul Kraemer, east by said alley, south by Louis Illinger north and west by Second street; and for a sale of said realty and division of the proceeds between said parties.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 9th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
J. F. Vastine, Plaintiff's Attorney. 44L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Friday, December 15, 1882.
Charles P. Wonderly, Peter Wonderly, Sarah E. Callahan and Patrick H. Callahan, her husband,
vs.
Nathaniel B. Thompson, William Thompson, Sarah Thompson, Charles Thompson and James F. Murray.
No. 60,858.

Now at this day, it appearing from the affidavit to the petition herein that the defendants Nathaniel B. Thompson and James F. Murray are non-residents of the State of Missouri, on motion of the plaintiffs, by their attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against them the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and said defendant, on the ground that defendant has absented himself from plaintiff without reasonable cause for more than one whole year next before the filing of said petition.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against her as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 13th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
35L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Monday, December 11, 1882.
Laura M. Morton
vs.
George W. Morton.
No. 89,261.

It appearing to the court that an error was committed in pursuing the order of publication granted herein, and it further appearing from the petition herein that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that defendant has absented himself from plaintiff without reasonable cause for more than one whole year next before the filing of said petition.

And unless she appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against her as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 12th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
40L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Thursday, November 9, 1882.
Elizabeth Wilson
vs.
James Wilson.
No. 89,228.

It appearing to the court from the return of the Sheriff of the City of St. Louis to the writ herein that the defendant cannot be found in the city of St. Louis, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that defendant has wholly disregarding his duties as the husband of plaintiff, has absented himself from plaintiff without a reasonable cause for the space of one year and more; that he has been and now is guilty of such conduct as to constitute him a vagrant within the meaning of the law respecting vagrancy; and that he beat plaintiff and pulled her hair; and for the decree of this court giving her the custody and care of the minor child of said parties and restoring to her her maiden name, "Pfaffmann."

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 15th day of November, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
41L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Friday, December 15, 1882.
Pelagie Morin.
Attachment.

It appearing from the affidavit attached to the petition herein that the defendant is not a resident of this State, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney,

It is ordered that the defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her the object and general nature of which is to obtain a judgment for damages in the sum of $600 and interest, caused the plaintiff by breach of covenant contained in a deed executed by defendant to plaintiff dated May 15th, 1870, and recorded in the Recorder's office of St. Louis city, in book 615, page 103, conveying a lot in block No. 41 of said city of St. Louis, beginning at a point in the west line of Second street 70½ feet south of Cedar street, thence running south 20½ feet along said line of Second street; thence west and parallel with Cedar street 142 feet to an alley; thence northwardly along said alley 20½ feet and thence east to the place of beginning, said breach of covenant consisting in a failure of title to a part of said land and plaintiff's eviction therefrom, and that her property has been attached.

And unless she appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer to the action aforesaid, according to law, judgment will be rendered against her and her property sold to satisfy the same.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 13th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
42L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Thursday, December 7, 1882.
Eugenia Dieterly
vs.
Antoine Roy.
No. 69,114.

It appearing from the affidavit to plaintiff's petition herein that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Missouri; therefore, on motion of said plaintiff by his attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain partition between said plaintiff and defendant of the following described premises, to-wit: Certain realty lying and situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to-wit:

Lot No. nine (9) of Eller's survey, Carondelet, Mo. that subdivision city block of said city, No. 8054, having a front of twenty-five feet on Second street, by a depth of that width of 137 feet eleven inches, more or less, to a twenty-foot alley, and bounded on the north by Paul Kraemer, east by said alley, south by Louis Illinger north and west by Second street; and for a sale of said realty and division of the proceeds between said parties.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 9th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
J. F. Vastine, Plaintiff's Attorney. 44L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Friday, December 15, 1882.
Kate Spanier
vs.
George Spanier.
No. 89,267.

It appearing from the affidavit this day filed herein that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and said defendant, on the ground of cruel and barbarous treatment, indignities and failure of support.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this sixteenth day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
38L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Friday, December 15, 1882.
Laura M. Morton
vs.
George W. Morton.
No. 89,261.

It appearing to the court that an error was committed in pursuing the order of publication granted herein, and it further appearing from the petition herein that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that defendant has absented herself from plaintiff without reasonable cause for more than one whole year next before the filing of said petition.

And unless she appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against her as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 12th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
40L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Thursday, December 7, 1882.
Antoine Roy.
No. 69,114.

It appearing from the affidavit to plaintiff's petition herein that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Missouri; therefore, on motion of said plaintiff by his attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain partition between said plaintiff and defendant of the following described premises, to-wit: Certain realty lying and situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to-wit:

Lot No. nine (9) of Eller's survey, Carondelet, Mo. that subdivision city block of said city, No. 8054, having a front of twenty-five feet on Second street, by a depth of that width of 137 feet eleven inches, more or less, to a twenty-foot alley, and bounded on the north by Paul Kraemer, east by said alley, south by Louis Illinger north and west by Second street; and for a sale of said realty and division of the proceeds between said parties.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 9th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
J. F. Vastine, Plaintiff's Attorney. 44L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Friday, December 15, 1882.
Kate Spanier
vs.
George Spanier.
No. 89,267.

It appearing from the affidavit this day filed herein that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and said defendant, on the ground of cruel and barbarous treatment, indignities and failure of support.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 15th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
41L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Friday, December 15, 1882.
Mina Beste
vs.
August Beste.
No. 89,540

It appearing from the petition herein, verified by affidavit that the defendant is a non-resident of this State, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that defendant on June 14, 1876, without any reasonable cause, left and abandoned plaintiff and absented himself and still remains absent, and ever since that time wholly and now fails to support the plaintiff and her children; and also for a decree of divorce giving her the custody of the children of said parties.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis this 13th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
35L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Friday, December 15, 1882.
Margaret Smith
vs.
August Smith.

It appearing from the affidavit to the amended petition this day filed that the defendant is a non-resident, or that he has absconded or absented himself from his usual place of abode in this city, so that the ordinary process of the law cannot be served upon him; therefore, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that defendant has absented herself from plaintiff without reasonable cause for the space of one year next before the filing of said petition.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 13th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
J. H. Clark, Attorney for Plaintiff. 36L

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Friday, December 15, 1882.
Glenn Hatch
vs.
Martha Hatch.

It appearing, from the affidavit attached to the petition herein, that the defendant is a now resident of this State, on motion of plaintiff, by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that defendant on June 14, 1876, without any reasonable cause, left and abandoned plaintiff and absented himself and still remains absent, and ever since that time wholly and now fails to support the plaintiff and her children; and also for a decree of divorce giving her the custody of the children of said parties.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of February next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against her as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 15th day of December, 1882.
[L. S.] CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
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ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
December Term, 1882.
Friday, December 15, 1882.
Lizzie Arnold
vs.
George Arnold.

It appearing from the petition of the plaintiff, duly verified by affidavit, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of said plaintiff by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that the defendant has been guilty of such cruel and barbarous treatment